

SOLVE FITCH MURDER CASE

Report Revolt Against Franco Stirs In Spain

Paris Hears Number Of Gar-
risons In Revolt Against
Insurgent Head

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PARIS, Dec. 21.—A revolt against Spanish Insurgent Generalissimo Francisco Franco has broken out in military garrisons of a number of important cities in Insurgent Spain, it was learned from usually dependable sources in Paris today.

The revolt appears to be widespread and well planned. Uprisings have taken place in Saragossa, Segovia, Soria, Pamplona and possibly other cities, according to the information available here.

See Premeditated Plan

The uprisings were said to have taken place simultaneously, and to have indicated the existence of a plan for concerted action.

More than 1,000 commissioned and non-commissioned officers have been arrested in the cities affected. Additional arrests were said to have been made in other parts of Insurgent Spain as General Franco ordered an immediate and drastic purge of disaffected elements.

At least six officers were declared to have been summarily executed at Segovia.

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PA NEWC OBSERVES

In case you are thinking of making any New Year resolutions, how would it be to look over the past year for the purpose of seeing if there are any obligations that have not been met. Have you borrowed any money or do you have any bills that you are able to pay, but have just neglected doing so? There is nothing like being able to start out the new year with a clean slate.

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Several days ago a reader made a suggestion for a new industry in the shape of a factory for the manufacture of dog food. Pa Newc has learned that there is already a plant of that kind here operated by J. S. Riley and Company. Dog foods manufactured by the plant are not only sold here but are shipped to seven different states. The business, started from a small beginning, has been growing, and while it does not employ many people, it helps in giving employment. Small industries are really better than big ones, since they are more likely to give steady employment.

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Two women were standing on North Mercer street looking at one of the new Jefferson nickels. "What's their words, 'E pluribus unum,'" queried one. "You ought to know that," replied her companion, "that's Latin for five cents." We live and learn.

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It's really surprising the many changes that take place over a period of years. This was illustrated today when Thomas Edmunds, clerk of the registration bureau, dug up a New Castle directory of 1897-98. Judge William D. Wallace was then on the Lawrence county bench, and the county commissioners were J. H. Weekly, W. X. Gibson and William (Continued On Page Two)

Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 5 p.m. Tuesday are as follows:

Maximum temperature, 38.
Minimum temperature, 17.
No precipitation.
River stage, 5 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago follow:

Maximum temperature, 33.
Minimum temperature, 24.
Precipitation, .05 inches.

(International News Service)

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BURSTING BLOOD VESSEL IS FATAL

Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1938.

Edward L. McCleary, Edensburg, Va.

Harry Rosenblum, 65, 1702 Huron avenue.

Martin Francis Leahy, 75, Hoyt

avenue.

Jay Gould suffered a stroke ten days ago. For 24 hours preceding her death she had been in a coma.

Her husband, a railroad official

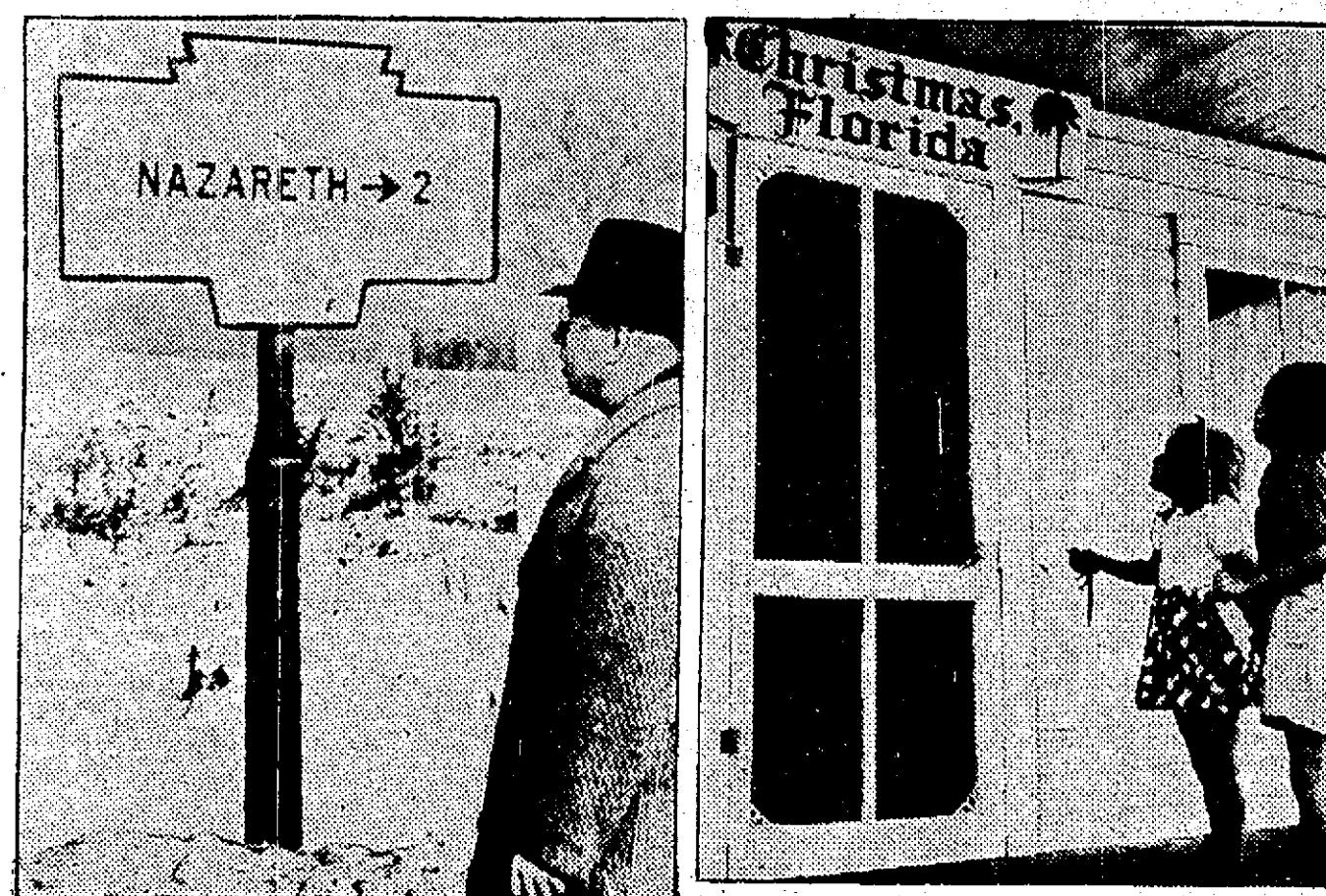
and son, and two daughters were among those at Mrs. Shepard's bedside when death came.

A large part of the \$10,000,000 fortune Mrs. Shepard received from her father who died in 1892 was devoted to charity work by her.

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Mary Christmas? That's Her Name! Bethlehem? Nazareth? And Not In Holy Land!



It's Nazareth all right, but not the Nazareth of the Holy Land where the mother of the Savior year died. It's in Pennsylvania, near Easton. Christ mailing thousands of pieces of mail sent there goes there for postmarks, too.

Christmas is the name of this town in Florida. Palm trees on the sign are forgotten this time of year, for the town does a rushing business re-

mailing thousands of pieces of mail sent there to get the magic postmark.



Bethlehem—but not the birthplace of Christ. It is Bethlehem, Pa., on the Lehigh river, 55 miles from Philadelphia. It was founded in 1740-41 by the Christian sect of Moravians.

Unusual Cold Spell Continues In Europe

(International News Service)

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The cold spell sweeping Great Britain and Europe has brought hundreds of Londoners from their beds, fireplaces and favorite fun spots early today and sent them skating over the city's numerous frozen park ponds.

Automobile headlights shining on the skaters lent a gay touch to the almost unprecedented scene of London residents skating on natural ice in a city where winter usually means rain, fog and wind.

Fifteen more deaths throughout the British Isles brought the total for the nation to some 55 as a result of the cold spell. On the continent where the frigid weather brought ice blocks to the Venetian lagoons and paralyzed traffic in the upper Seine river, the toll was estimated at more than 100.

Reports from Paris said no trains left the Gare De Lyons, with all major points blocked by frost and snow.

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Study Assailant Of Mayor La Guardia

**Believed Man Is
Delusion Victim**

**La Guardia Has Black Eye
As Result Of Encounter
On Tuesday**

**ALL IN DAY'S WORK
DECLARER MAYOR**

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Psychiatrists studying James F. Hagan, 48, a dismissed WPA worker, said today that a belief that he is being persecuted caused him to attack Mayor F. H. LaGuardia on the steps of city hall.

The attack which left the mayor with a black eye was the first act of physical violence against LaGuardia since the took office in 1934. Recently, however, his life was threatened in a note bearing a swastika. The envelope, in which the note was concealed contained an unfired bullet.

Victim of Delusions

Psychiatrists at Bellevue hospital, said that Hagan is a victim of delusions of persecution. When arraigned on assault charges, Hagan, whose wife said he suffered a nervous breakdown recently, insisted that he had a perfect right to hit LaGuardia. He shouted:

"This man (LaGuardia) was holding out funds on me. This man was doing me wrong."

LaGuardia said he never had seen his assailant before and dismissed the incident as "nothing" adding:

"That all happens in a day's work. It was nothing compared to some blows delivered under the belt."

**PAN-AMERICAN
CONFERENCE IN
NEAR DEADLOCK**

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ious committees had to confine themselves to relatively uninimportant matters while the United States and other delegations sought a compromise on the solidarity issue which might be acceptable to Buenos Aires.

Yesterday a revised draft of the proposed declaration was circulated, but it failed to shake Argentine resistance to any mention of possible "non-American" aggression.

Representatives of Peru and Brazil, charged with the task of finding a suitable compromise text, were unable to report substantial progress toward an agreement. Argentina is steadfastly holding out against anything which might affect European nations from Latin America.

Hull May Make Announcement

Secretary of State Hull, who is keeping in close touch with the situation, said he might make some announcement today.

He and other members of the United States delegation have remained outwardly optimistic, contending that an agreement on the solidarity issue will be reached and that the American republics will adopt a statement making it clear that they will unitedly oppose any outside attempts at domination of the western hemisphere.

Meanwhile, a meeting of the committee on organization of peace to-day was expected to refrain carefully from any subjects which might precipitate a debate on the solidarity question. It is felt that the time is not yet ripe to permit any general debate on the issue, which many delegates consider the most important facing the conference.

**BLIND OF COUNTY
GUESTS OF LIONS**

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player; Ruth Phillips, marimba; Doreatha Stuart, marimba; Evelyn Moore, piano; Charles Schweinsburg, drums; Charles Polen, trumpet; Ed. Campbell, guitar; June Fisher, vibraphone and Lois Chadwick, vocal.

Ladies' Committee Aids

The Ladies of the Lions, headed by Mrs. R. L. Boyd, were represented in the gift-giving period last night by Mrs. Burr Rodgers, Mrs. Numa F. Vidal, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Staudinger and Mrs. Edwin Wilson.

The invocation before dinner was given by Rev. D. L. Ferguson, pastor of Highland U. P. church and a member of the Lions club. Rev. and Mrs. Chester, T. R. Yeates of the Third church were guests.

Members of the club escorted the blind to and from the dinner.

**MAZZONE CASE
AWAITS VERDICT**

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the morning of December 3 and of his ridiculing the actions of a Mrs. Shuber at a party held some nights before when Mrs. Shuber is said to have gotten drunk and acted in an unseemly manner.

Mihalkovich Protests

Mike Mihalkovich protested against Mazzone's statements, the witness said and said to Mazzone "why talk about the woman when you are worse than she is."

The two men walked outside and a few moments Mihalkovich came back into the house. Sometime later he saw Mazzone coming down the road, they said, and walked out to meet him. The women protested against his going and urged him not to get into a fight. Mihalkovich went out and a little later was shot to death on the highway.

Mazzone took the stand immediately after Attorney Edwin K. Logan had presented the opening of his case to the jury. He said Mazzone shot in self defense and the defense was asked for an acquittal.

Mazzone proved to be something of an actor on the stand. With few questions from his counsel he went through a story of association with Mihalkovich going back several years. The speed of his testimony was breath taking and had Court Stenographer F. M. Rowland hurrying to keep up with him. For forty-five minutes Mazzone talked on, eyes flashing, now and then lashing out with gestures and through it all endeavoring to impress the jury that he was afraid of Mike Mihalkovich and that he shot in self defense.

Cross Examination

Upon cross examination District Attorney John G. Lamoree grilled Mazzone upon his reasons for going to his home and getting a gun and then walking back down the highway past the Dukavich home. Time and again Mazzone pleaded that he was fearful, that he put the gun in his pocket because he was afraid, that he didn't want to drive his car back down the highway on an "errand he said he had, because he was too nervous.

Finally Mr. Lamoree gave Mazzone the gun he had used and had him re-enact the crime on the highway on December 3.

The case was finally closed shortly after ten o'clock this morning. Following recess Attorney Samuel L. Clark made the plea for the defense to the jury. He stressed the theory of self defense, asked the jury to send Mazzone back to his wife and two children, a free man and closed by asking for a complete acquittal.

District Attorney John G. Lamoree asked the jury to remember their duty as American citizens. He expressed sympathy for the wife and children of Mazzone but reminded them that Mike Mihalkovich was dead, shot by Frank Mazzone. Mr. Lamoree emphasized the fact that the Commonwealth had proved beyond a reasonable doubt that Mazzone had murdered Mihalkovich deliberately, premeditatedly, and maliciously and for his crime should pay the penalty of death.

**FIND NO TRACE
OF MISSING GIRL**

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Lackawanna county, are being sought by posses of state, city and county police. G-Men were also reported on the scene.

Pennsylvania state police announced that the one suspect they held was apparently not connected with the girl's disappearance. They refused to reveal his name and said he was still being held "pending one further check."

No Clues In Case

An announcement by Major William A. Clark, district head of the state police, stated: "We have absolutely nothing to go on except the fact that the girl is missing. We have been able to find no one who saw her after the time she left her home. A search of hospitals, morgues, rail and bus terminals and road houses developed absolutely nothing."

Miss Martin was declared by neighbors to be unusually intelligent. She had no known love affairs and police were not inclined to believe she had left home of her own volition.

Instead of keeping buttons in a button bag or scattered in a sewing basket, a housewife puts them into small mayonnaise jars and stands them on a small shelf in the corner of her sewing room. Anyone can see at a glance the sort of button they need.

If you have no jelly strainer and stand an upturned kitchen chair and a square of cheesecloth will make an excellent substitute.

A Couple of Ambassadors Meet



Joseph P. Kennedy (right), United States Ambassador to Great Britain, is shown with an ambassador of mirth, Victor Moore, who plays the part of "Ambassador Alonzo P. Goodhue" in a current Broadway musical comedy. In the show, Mrs. Goodhue "hopes to make the Kennedy's jealous." That uniform seems to dazzle the real envoy to London.

(Central Press)

**Girl Discovers
Mother, Father
Dead On Floor**

**Couple Divorced In November;
Believe Man Killed Woman,
Suicided**

(International News Service)

MOLINE, Ill., Dec. 21.—It was bad enough for 16-year-old Barbara Larson when her parents were divorced in November.

Yesterday she returned from school to the home in Galta where she had been living with her mother, Mrs. Helen Larson, 33.

A cheery "hello" froze on her lips. On the living room floor was the body of her father, Victor, 38. Below him were two children, a free man and closed by asking for a complete acquittal.

Authorities decided Larson had slain his former wife and then turned the gun on himself.

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L. McConnell, all long since passed off the stage of action. Twenty names are listed under the head of "Real Estate Agents". Every one of them is now dead. Of nine notaries public listed, but two are living. Attorney Wylie McCashin and Attorney E. M. Underwood. And so on thru the business and professional list. The great majority of those whose names were once familiar are no more.

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Several nearby counties are putting forth candidates for appointment to the superior court to succeed Governor-elect Arthur James.

So far we haven't heard of any Lawrence countian mentioned for the place. Surely we have some good timber. The superior court has seven members. Four are taken from eastern Pennsylvania. Speak up.

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Portions of East Washington street near the intersection of Court

are undergoing repairs. The old Amesite which is full of holes, is being dug off and a new coating put on.

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Youths of Pennsylvania are seeking skilled trade employment rather than white collar jobs, according to

FEMALE TICKS HEARTY EATERS

The females of certain species of ticks often eat enough food at one meal to increase their weight 30 times.

If Roosevelt feels superior, let us rejoice. The rulers who feel inferior are the ones who abuse their power to prove they are somebodies.

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"It Was Hot in There!"

With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand, Vice President John N. Garner is pictured as he left the White House after a conference with President Roosevelt. Just what the talk was about, Garner refused to say. He did say, though, that "it was hot in there!"

Deaths of the Day

Welch Funeral Thursday.

Funeral services for the late Albert J. Welch, of 815 West 29th Street, Erie, will take place in Erie Thursday afternoon, according to an announcement received here, and interment will follow in Laurel Hill cemetery, that city.

Mr. Welch, a well known former resident of the Seventh ward, New Castle, died Monday afternoon in St. Vincent's hospital, Erie, where he had been a patient for the past month.

He was the son of Mrs. Abby Welch, who resides at 2305 Albert street. He is also survived by his wife Anna Patterson Welch, two daughters, Lucille and Gail, one son, Albert J. Jr., all at home, and two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Lower, of Delaware avenue and Mrs. John Loudon, of Englewood avenue, this city.

Mr. Welch was a member of Cascade Methodist church of Erie. He had been connected with the Palace Hardware Company for a number of years. He at one time operated a hardware store in the seventh ward.

Edward L. McCleary

Word has been received of the death of Edward L. McCleary at Edensburg, Va. Mr. McCleary was a former resident of Plain Grove, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McCleary. He was formerly engaged in the harness business in Herkulesburg, later in the same business at Prospect, Butler county. Selling his property at Prospect he moved to Diamond, Venango county, where he operated a store. Later he went to Edensburg, Va., where he was in the mercantile business. He is survived by his wife, who before her marriage was Eva McDevitt of West Liberty, Butler county, Pa. He is survived by one brother, Samuel McCleary of Plain Grove.

Martin Francis Leahy.

The body of Martin Francis Leahy, aged 75 years, of Hoytville, arrived here from Jacksonville, Fla., at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday night, and has been removed to the Marshall funeral home in Wampum.

Mr. Leahy, a former telegraph operator for the B. & O. railroad, died Sunday in Jacksonville where he had gone, with Mrs. Leahy five weeks ago, to pass the winter. He had been in failing health for some time. Since his retirement ten years ago he spent every winter in the south.

Officials said "about 20" extras were in the post office service this morning. Others were to be called if the rush increased this afternoon.

Sub-Station Taxed

While throngs poured into and out of the main post office, the up-town postal sub-station on the balcony of the New Castle Dry Goods store was having a "mail rush" all of its own. Store officials said long waiting lines were in order on Tuesday and they were developing today. Extra clerks were required to handle the rush.

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PROBE EXPANDS

IN COSTER CASE

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trial laws became the center of the federal investigation today. From him authorities hope to learn much of "Coster's" alleged connection with bootlegging of illicit liquor, smuggling.

The body will remain at the Marshall funeral home until Friday morning when it will be taken to the Catholic church at Hoytville for requiem mass at 9 o'clock. The mass will be celebrated by Rev. Fr. F. A. Maloney. Interment will be in Hoytville cemetery.

Mrs. Leahy will receive friends in the funeral home Thursday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Loughner Services.

Military honors were paid the late Emery Loughner of Koppel on Tuesday afternoon. The services in the Clinton M. E. church, conducted by Rev. J. Greer Birmingham, pastor of the Wampum Presbyterian church, were attended by a large gathering of friends. During the services two hymns, "Abide With Me" and "In the Garden", were sung by the Misses Grace Owens and Jean Ryloff, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Agnes Aldrich. Many beautiful floral pieces had been sent.

The following ex-servicemen served as pallbearers: R. A. Gasser, George Beatty, F. W. Fowkes, Fred Mills, Harry Laughlin and Edward Cenfoss. Interment was in Clinton cemetery. Charles Conti of Beaver Falls was the bugler. Members of Company B of New Brighton comprised the firing squad.

The deceased died of a heart attack in the residence of his son, Alexander Rosenblum, 433 Carroll street. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Rebecca Cohen and Alexander Rosenblum, both of Youngstown; Abe Rosenblum, Chicago; Mollie Rosenblum, New York and Dorothy Rosenblum, Springfield, Mass.

Mr. Rosenblum was born in Russia in 1873. He came to the United States as a boy and resided in New Castle until his death. His wife died a few years ago. He was in the real estate business for many years.

Funeral of Dr. Brice.

Solemn high mass of requies was sung in St. Mary's church Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock for the repose of the soul of the late Dr. Patrick J. Brice, well-known physician of North Jefferson street.

Rev. Fr. William F. Galvin and Rev. Fr. Leo S. Watterson, assistant pastors of the St. Mary's, were celebrant and sub-deacon of the mass, and Rev. Fr. V. V. Stanclawski of SS. Philip and James church, was deacon.

Assisting in the sanctuary were Rev. Fr. P. J. McKenna, pastor of St. Mary's, and Rev. Fr. E. R. Szalay, pastor of the Madonna church.

A large gathering of relatives and friends attended the mass. The Lawrence County Medical Society was well represented. Many beautiful flowers had been sent in memory of the deceased.

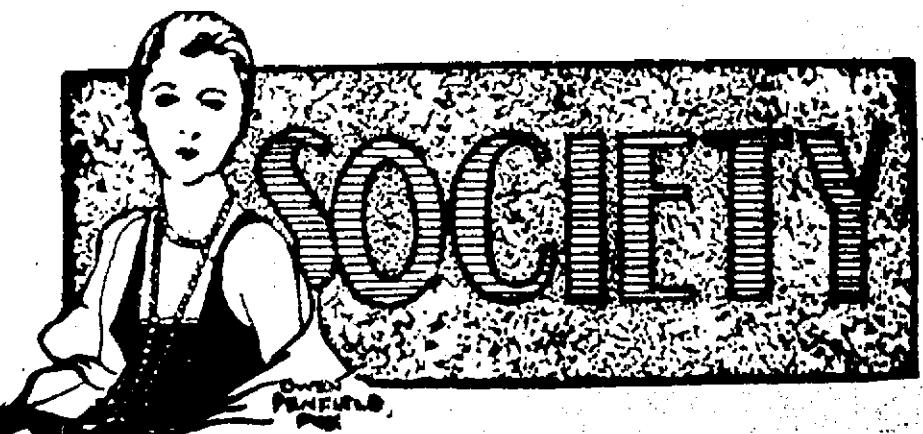
Neal Brice, Francis Brice, Ralph Brice, Charles Maloy, Joseph Maloy and Jack McGuire were the pallbearers. Father Galvin conducted the committal service in the parish cemetery.

MATTRESS FIRE

City firemen were called to the home occupied by George Conway, of 11 West Home street, by an alarm from Box 85 at noon today. A mattress was found ablaze in second floor bedroom. A loss of around \$15 was sustained.

(Central Press)

Dress Up the Home for the Holidays!



JUNIOR B. P. W. ANNUAL PARTY AT HENRY HOME

Tuesday evening, December 20, was a memorable date in the lives of the girl of the Margaret Henry Home, as they each received a lovely gift from the Junior Business and Professional Woman's club, an annual custom of the organization.

Following the serving of dinner in the Elks Club house, the club group motored to the Home where the balance of the evening was spent. The purchasing and distributing of gifts was in charge of Wilhelmina Patterson, Jeanne Hoose and Betty O'Donnell. In conclusion a social period was enjoyed, and the little girls of the Home served the Junior B. P. W. club members with a refreshing lunch before departing.

Plans were rounded out at the business meeting earlier in the evening, for the dance to be given in the Cathedral on December 26 by the Junior Business and Professional Women's club.

On January 3, their regular dinner meeting will be held in the Elks, and immediately following, a short session of the Executive Board will feature.

MAHONINGTON CLUB HAS PLEASANT EVENING

Mrs. Richard Gwilym, of West Madison avenue, entertained in a charming fashion Tuesday night, her associate members of the Mahonington Garden club, and in serving the lovely buffet lunch which followed the program, she was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Harry Evans.

During a brief business meeting the club decided to help pay for the beautiful Christmas lighting effects in downtown Mahonington.

Mrs. Charles E. Duncan was the program chairman of the evening and presented the first topic "Bowls of Fragrance." Mrs. William Leicht followed with a "Flowers for Christmass." Mrs. Ralph Scowden was in charge of a fine exhibit of Christmass centrepieces.

On January 17 the club members will gather again, this time at Mrs. E. C. Hubert's home on West Madison avenue.

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SHENANGO CHAPTER GROUP HAS PARTY

Officers and committee chairladies of Shenango Chapter, No. 333, held their annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Martha Berkheimer, Hazelcroft avenue, on Tuesday evening. This was in the form of a 6:30 o'clock tureen dinner.

After dinner hours were enjoyed when Louis Berkheimer, Jr., showed the moving pictures taken on a trip to the east, and also of Culver Military Academy, which he attended during the summer.

Santa Claus made his appearance at this time and distributed the gifts which had been brought for the exchange. He also presented a beautiful gift to the worthy matron, Mrs. Lena L. Weber, in behalf of the guests assembled. Mrs. Weber responded graciously to the presentation.

Chinese checkers were played and the prize went to Mrs. Gula A. Hess, Junior Past Matron, who was a special guest. Other guests were Mrs. Bernice Brown and Miss Mildred Rogers.

Those on the committee assisting the hostess were Mrs. Bernice Parker, Mrs. Marie Roof, Mrs. Bertha Moser and Mrs. Selena Fleeger.

QUEEN ESTHER GROUP CHRISTMAS MEETING

Members of the Queen Esther Auxiliary, of the First M. E. church, met in the home of Miss Nettie Clarke, Boyles avenue on Tuesday evening.

The meeting opened with the singing of carols by the group, led by Mrs. Venor Bright, with Mrs. H. S. Hammond at the piano.

The following program was presented: reading "The Star," Mrs. Alva M. Shumaker; playlet, "The Lighted Window," Mrs. Venor Bright, Mrs. Russell Shieids, Miss Mary Clarke, Mrs. Bessie Pitzer, Miss Alma Wolverton and Mrs. M. R. Hornung.

Refreshments were served to 50 members and four guests. The guests were Mrs. Herbert Smith, Miss Beatrice Bruce, Mrs. Ralph Craig and Mrs. A. E. Treiser. There was a gift exchange.

The success of this delightful affair is due to the efforts of Mrs. Venor Bright, who was assisted by Mrs. Howard Biddle, Mrs. M. R. Hornung, Mrs. Ralph Reed, Mrs. May Matthews, Mrs. Richard Steen, Mrs. Russell Shieids, Miss Angie Atkinson and Miss Mary Clarke.

Ladies Aid Meets

Members of the Ladies Aid of the Italian Methodist church met Tuesday evening in the parsonage at 108 Phillips street with Mrs. F. P. Sulmonetti in charge. Christmas carols were sung and Mrs. Sulmonetti brought the Christmas message. Readings on Christmas were given by Mrs. Frank Dailey, a new member, and Mrs. Louis Gurini.

Plans were made to have a watch-night service in conjunction with the entire church on December 31. A social time followed and a gift exchange took place. A lunch was served by Mrs. Sulmonetti, aided by Mrs. Louis Gurini, Mrs. Nobile Di Lorenzo and Mrs. Matilda Perro. The next meeting will be with Mrs. N. Altobelli, 1025 DuShane street.

Fidelity Companions

Mrs. William V. Cooper, of Youngstown, O., was a special guest at the Christmas party of the Fidelity Companions held recently in the home of Mrs. D. Cooper, 18th and North Jefferson street. A delicious lunch was served to the group.

Later carols were sung and gifts exchanged. Games and stories were pastimes, prizes falling to Mrs. William V. Cooper, Mrs. James Russo and Mrs. Sam Ascione.

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MERRIMENT OF CHRISTMAS TIME

THE oft echoed phrase, "Merry Christmas," describes in two words the spirit of this day of days. It is the holiday of happiness and sweetness. It is a day that stirs child nature to the utmost glee, and that sets the old-timers to performing stunts they would regard as undignified on 364 other days. Somehow Christmas makes all the world young, and the homes full of cheer and brightness.

Never such a scene of merriment as when the kids greet the lighted Christmas tree, or when they tear down stairs before daylight to see what old Santa has put into their bulging stockings. Their shouts of joy ring through the house.

Then when the old folks play kid tricks on each other, and laugh at the tops of their voices, you would never think there was a trouble left in the world. All the cares of life and work seem to fade out.

It must be that when people cease striving for themselves and begin to think how they can make somebody else happy, the cares roll off their backs.

AN AMAZING REAL LIFE STORY

If some imaginative fictionist had written a story based on the life of F. Donald Coster, alias Philip Musica, most of us would be inclined to say that such a novel was very interesting but too improbable.

The fantastic tale of the convict son of immigrant parents who rose to be a financial wizard is a story that will go down in history with those of Ponzi and Krueger.

The most startling thing about Coster is how well he hid his real identity for so many years. Before the days of telephone, telegraph and co-ordinated police systems, it was comparatively easy to drop out of sight in one community and re-appear in another. But today it is almost an impossibility.

His skill (if you want to call it that) at the profession of fraud evidently increased with the years. He apparently had mulcted his McKesson-Robbins Corp. of millions of dollars and reports that he was engaged in gun running and bootleg alcohol enterprises are being checked.

Coster ever got himself mixed up in a war, it appears. Another branch of the investigation is examining a report that he helped finance Bolivia in its war with Paraguay over the Gran Chaco in exchange for a Bolivian quinine monopoly.

His career is to be deplored, of course, and is a blot on the record of American business. But being romantic, we can't help but gasp at the audacity of an ex-convict who would write a glowing biography of himself for "Who's Who" and confer a Heidelberg doctor's degree on himself during a year which he had spent behind prison bars.

If Coster had been content with the legitimate profits from his firm and had foresworn the fraudulent dikes of his checkered youth he might have died peacefully, an honored and respected businessman.

NONCE WORDS AND SUCH

Dr. Frank H. Vizetelly has quite a reputation as a lexicographer, but he would rather have one as a dictionarymaker; and he wants it all one word. He approves the newspaper tendency to "solidify" words and he would extend the practice to include such words as diningroom and printseller.

When Dr. Vizetelly talks of solidifying words, he is talking of words already established in the language. He recognizes the existence, however, of words which are floating around for the nonce and which, most appropriately, he calls "nonce words." He places the total of nonce words now in the English language at 5,000. But he thinks our speech still is "under control."

The nonce words serve a purpose while they are with us. Dr. Vizetelly is not unfriendly to slang which, he says, travels in cycles. There is a "certain sincerity" about slang which, in Dr. Vizetelly's opinion, "freeds it altogether from snobbery and leaves very little room for doubt as to its intention."

To illustrate: "There's not the least doubt about a man's meaning when he calls you a dub, a wet blanket or a calamity howler. You know what he means and you can't possibly kid yourself that you don't."

"And I don't mean maybe."

But, our dictionarymaker warns, "nothing is more dismal than dead slang." And slang meets sudden death. "Sometimes it lasts only a day," Dr. Vizetelly says. "That is why I keep a file of slang expressions and wait, in some cases, as long as five years before printing them. No one can tell which of the many words and phrases constantly heard will be current tomorrow or next month or next year."

So a nonce word is good only for its own particular nonce. But while Dictionarymaker Vizetelly is solidifying words ought not he to characterize coiners of slangexpressions as nonwordmakers?

Professional man: One who makes money by serving his neighbors and loses it by investing in the schemes of strangers.

What's Right With America?

By HERMANN HAGEDORN.
Author, poet, dramatist; Director, National Re-Dedication.

Her free institutions, including the freedom of worship, freedom of speech, the right of assembly and of petition, the right of private property, security from arbitrary power, equal justice, trial by jury.

Her firm of federal government, balanced, resilient and responsive to the popular will.

Her system of state governments, adapted to local needs and useful experimentation.

The diversity of her people, derived from many races and from all parts of the world.

The spirit of the people—in the main, progressive yet conservative, alert, fair-minded, kindly, willing to live and let live, generous in support of good causes, loyal to the democratic process, determined when necessary.

Her unregimented youth.

Her heritage of noble words and heroic actions, moulding the Republic of today, preparing the Republic of tomorrow.

Her breadth of opportunity, still

The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph.D.

PICKING CHILD SPECIALIST

IF YOUR child has had continued trouble at keeping up with his studies at school or lags in one of them; if he shows extreme difficulty at getting along with other children; if at home or school, or both, he is extremely hard to understand or guide, you probably should see a psychologist. If there is a school psychologist, see him or her first. Unfortunately, school psychologists have so large a program of mental testing that they have little time for a complete psychological study of the child. But they are able to refer you to a reliable psychologist and protect you from the quack. Usually your school principal also can do so.

If you want to choose a family doctor, medical specialist or psychiatrist, you would call up or write to your local county or state academy (association) of medicine. Or, if you were about to choose one whose name you have, you would proceed in this fashion, or find out if the doctor considered belonged to the American Medical Association.

Know His Training

In case you wish to employ a psychologist to deal with your child, you will want to know what his training and professional standing are. Is he a member of the American Psychological Association? Is he a member of the American Association of Applied Psychologists? A member of the latter organization (recently established) should be a safe bet, for in order to get into it he must have attained high standards, not only in the theory but in the practice of psychology. The secretary is Professor H. B. English, of Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. By writing him you can ascertain whether the person you are considering is a member of this organization and any one of its four sections—consulting, clinical, educational and industrial.

Your humble servant happens to be a member of all the professional organizations named above except the industrial section. If, in addition to the above, the psychologist is listed in American Men of Science and the World Register of Psychologists, indicating that he has contributed numerous researches in psychology, he should have still more reason to call himself a psychologist. My readers have a right to know that the author of this column is so listed.

But let me admit that some highly-trained psychologists are inept in the application of psychology, while some other persons who have had very little or no academic training in the subject have presented some of the best psychology in consultations, lectures or publications. Nevertheless, in fairness to the public and professional ethics, these talented persons wisely refrain from calling themselves psychologists.

The World AND THE Mud Puddles

THE MOTOR CAR

When the writer was in Detroit last summer an automobile man said to him, "believe it or not, if I was permitted, I could show you the tentative model for the 1942 automobile." Going further, he said, "you might wonder why each new gadget and each new improved design for the motorcar was not immediately seized upon and used by the manufacturer. The answer ought to be obvious to anyone—the manufacturer must hold something in reserve for ensuing years, for he has no reason to believe that a worthwhile improvement will be discovered every year."

When ma told dad in a fit of anger that she has had many proposals and had refused many men before Dad popped the question his mental reaction was that some fellows have all the luck but he maintained a discreet silence.

OUR BEST DOCTOR

Gettin' doctorin ain't so bad If the doctorin's done by Dad 'Cause of dad was once a boy 'Ain' recalls things that annoy— Such as goose-grease, oil an' pills

An' such things that cure your ills. But when Ma starts in—look out! 'Cause she knows what she's about. First shell feel my pulse, then seek Signs o' fever in my cheek;

Findin' non shell then confine Searchin' to that tongue of mine.

Ma will then start in to spoil My insides with castor oil!

Get her oil and spoon

While she hums a mournful tune;

Then shell say, "Now, if you can just swallow this like a man."

Seems before each winter's done Ma will give me, one by one,

Quinine, pills an' mustard packs,

Cures fever, gripe, an' achin' backs;

Onion syrup for m' crop,

When I sneeze, an' cough, an'

whoop.

But I'm telin' you quite plain

If I got an ache 'er pain

Ma's the doctor that kin tell

Just the thing to make you well—

Though her treatment's sometimes rough

'Twil kill or cure—Ma knows her stuff.

A bird wrote us the following on a postal card:

"You shouldn't get any Christmas gift at all. You don't deserve one—not even a pair of suspenders!" Wonder if that bimbo would pass us a pinch of Paris green?

The chap who is always telling what a fool he used to be, evidently hasn't taken inventory recently.

Some birds gather up money and

keep it until the day they die. They

cannot take it with them and it

would burn if they could, so they

just leave it for their heirs to fight over.

Some motorcars are equipped with automatic control interior temperatures. The heat in zero weather has been an accomplished fact for several years, but comfortable air on a hot summer day is a novelty, and when that time arrives, the motorist can enjoy an air-conditioned car.

"Safety Light" speedometers are

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green from zero to thirty miles an

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and red from fifty—danger.

The Pennsylvania driver ought to appreciate this, for it may be pretty serious for him if his car runs into the red.

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Answer—Cuff links are frequently

given for this purpose. Other sug-

gestions are: Bolt buckles, gold or

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man should be of slightly greater

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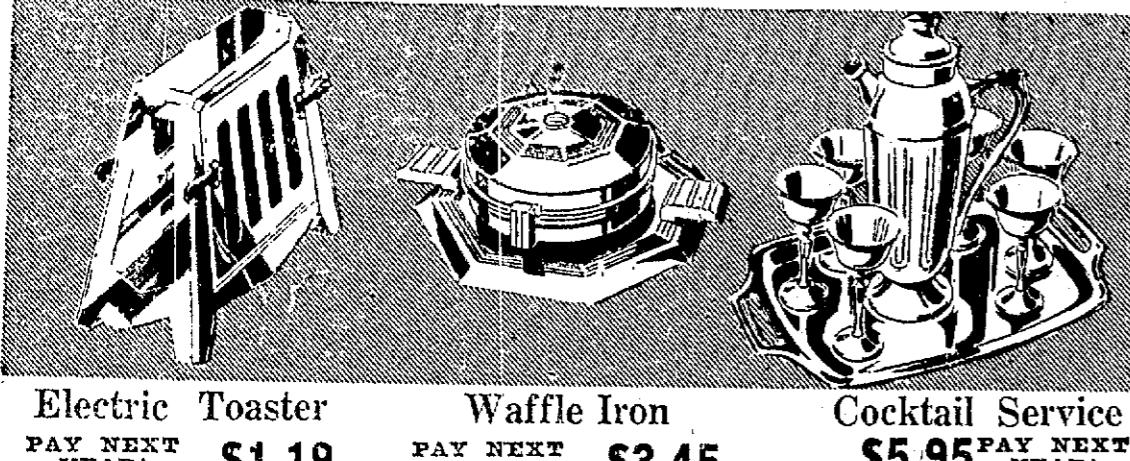
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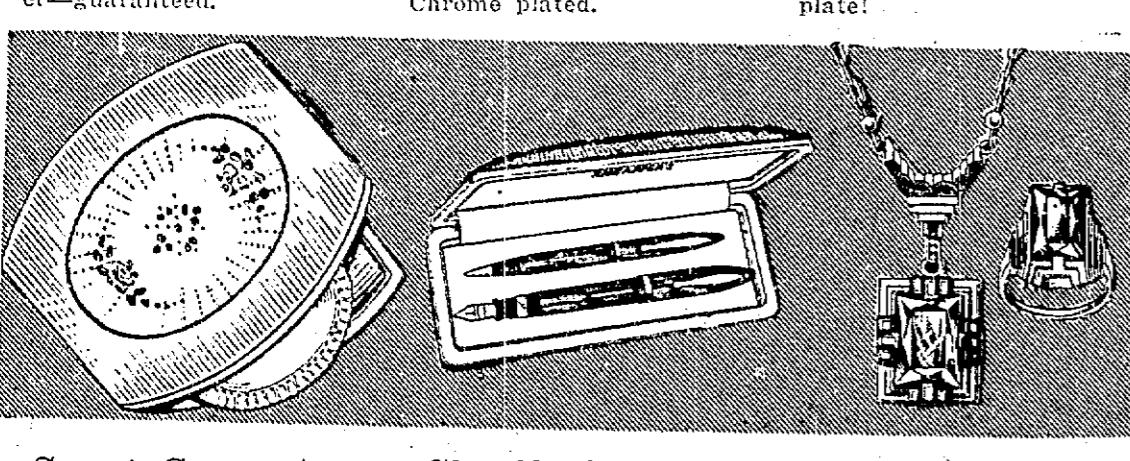
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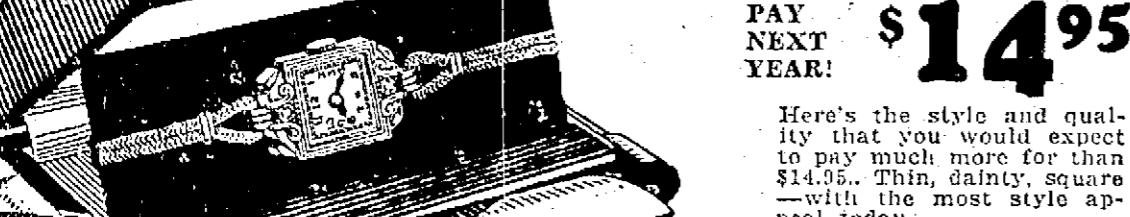
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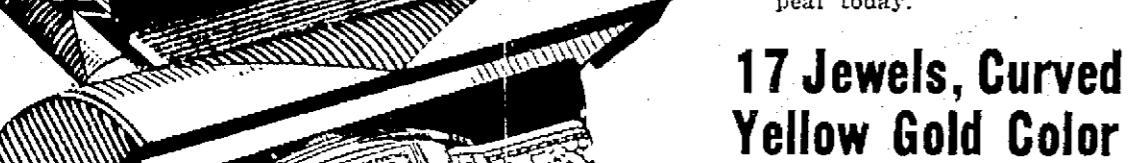
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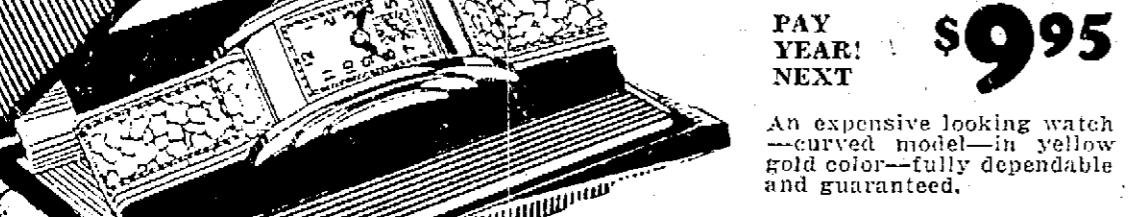
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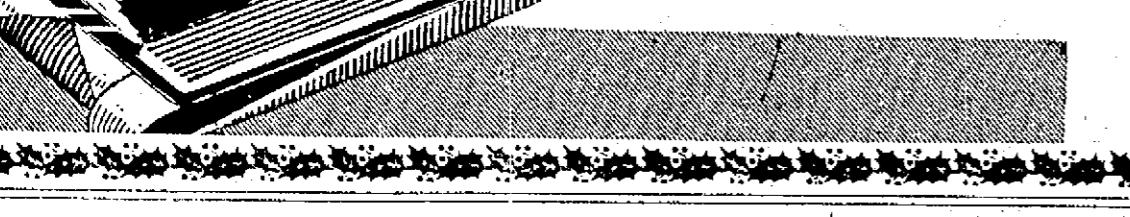
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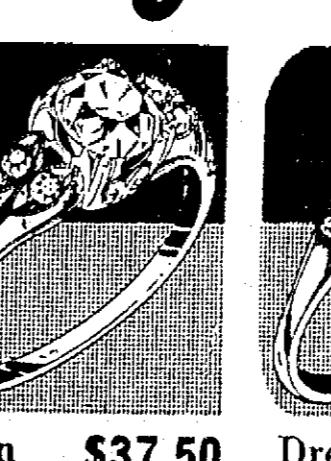
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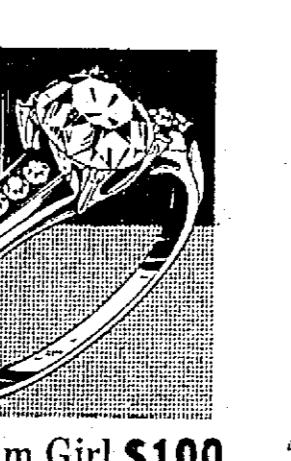
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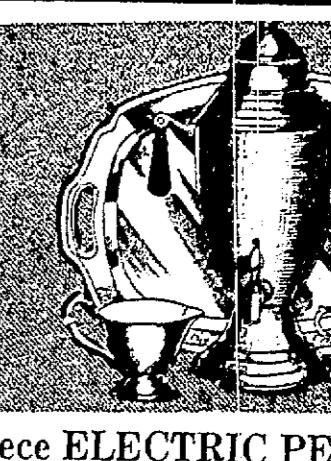
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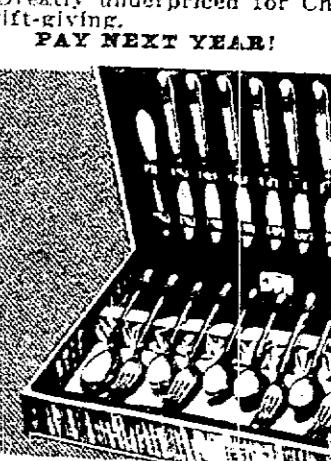
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Sudetenland Feels Heavy Business Wallop From U.S.

(International News Service) BERLIN, Dec. 21.—A sad and costly sack in the Nazi breadbasket came swinging across the Atlantic from Washington Tuesday in the form of orders received by all American consulates in the Reich to classify exports goods from Sudetenland as coming from Germany.

Ordinarily the new instructions would have amounted to nothing more than another consular order. But in the case of Sudetenland, it means stamping every export article with the phrase, "Made in Germany."

At present, so far as America is concerned, that kind of identification mark is the same as branding the article with the designation: "Don't touch—poison." And it has just about ended Sudetenland's export trade with the United States.

The cost and pain were even more marked because Bohemian toy and glassware manufacturers—transformed into official Nazi citizens last September by the Munich agreement—had licked their chops in anticipation of cashing in once more on the American Christmas market. But Washington beat them to it and well before the Christmas trade was sentenced by Judge Frank E. Reader man.

to be imprisoned in the Western Penitentiary from four to 12 years.

Vukovich, who had previously pleaded to voluntary manslaughter in the fatal stabbing of his life-long friend, George Majestic, October 11, told the court today he was drunk.

Shipments waiting on the docks and even those already loaded aboard ships had to be stamped as made in Germany. Thus, they automatically brought upon themselves new customs duties on arrival in New York and other American ports. Thus, also, their price tags had to be marked upward despite official subsidies on German export goods.

The high price obstacle plus the baleful effect on the American market of the "Made in Germany" designations have driven Santa Claus away from Sudetenland's business men's door.

Truck overturns near Zanesville; Edward Brown Seriously Hurt

Harry Brown, West Washington St. extension, received word today telling of the serious injury of his brother, Edward Brown, who resides in Zanesville, O.

According to the communication received here, Edward Brown, a driver for a bakery concern in Zanesville, was injured Tuesday morning, when his truck overturned several times.

He is in a Zanesville hospital in a very serious condition, suffering several broken ribs, a fractured collar bone, an injured lung, and other injuries. Recovery is doubtful, according to the word sent the local

rided and abused by New Deal spokesmen and particular targets of the Corcoran-Cohen group are behind him.

IN THE course of the last few years while belonging to the group of New Dealers who move violently rant against wealth and most constantly sob about the "underprivileged third" Mr. Hopkins has become great personal friends with number of wealthy men and frequently has been their guest in New York, Long Island and other places. Some of these are among his strongest backers for the Cabinet post. Some of them were for him for his new job ahead of the "inner circle." Some of them have considerable influence with anti-Administration Democrats in the Senate.

IP Mr. Hopkins is confirmed—and there is every indication he will—it will be due more to the influence of his "economic royalist" friends than anything else. If he had to rely entirely upon the "intellectual liberals" he would not get to first base in the Senate. Fortunately for him, he has other advocates. Some time ago it was suggested that one idea of putting Mr. Hopkins in the Cabinet was to build him up for the 1940 Presidential nomination. That is no longer taken seriously even by the "intellectuals." It would take a good deal more than two years to build Mr. Hopkins up as a Democratic Presidential possibility. It could hardly be done in twen-

ty. The practical party politicians just laugh at the notion.

HIS being promoted now in order to save him from attack—not to groom him for higher honors. And despite his complete lack of business experience, there is one thing to be said about his occupancy of the business portfolio—to wit, his politi-

cal activities will be much less offensive there than in a position where he has billions of public funds to distribute for relief.

UNCLE EVEN ON BELIEVING

"I can't believe half de stories I hear," said Uncle Eben, "but what I most dread is de time when I won't believe de other half either."

POINTS FARTHEST APART

Two points in the United States farthest apart are Cape Flattery, Wash., and a point on the Florida coast south of Miami, an airline distance of 2,835 miles.

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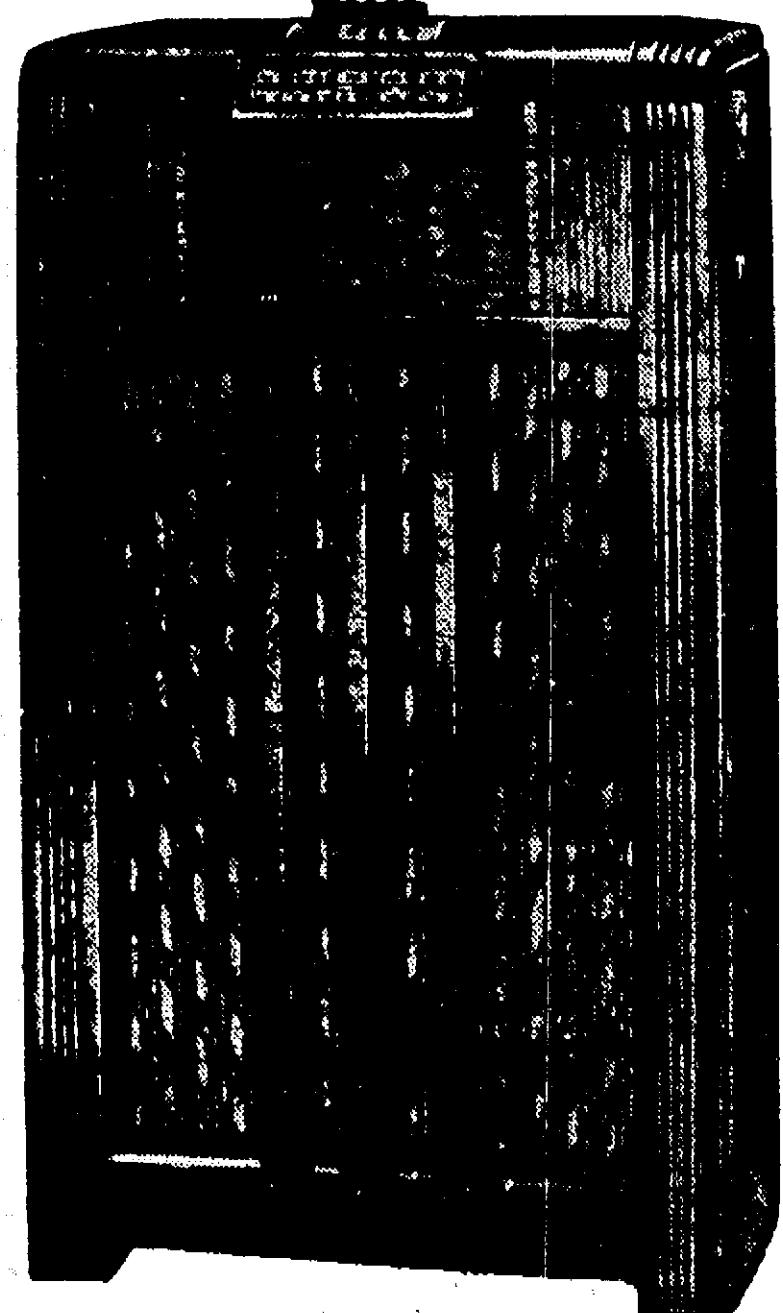
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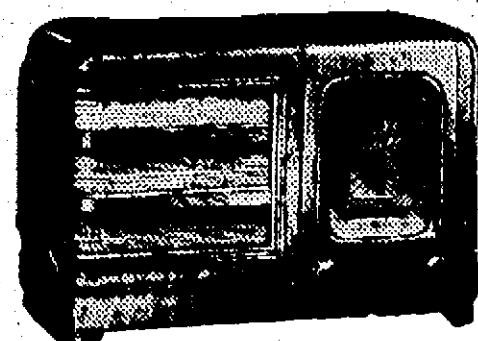


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\$3 Down!
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Model 17F superheterodyne circuit for distant stations . . . 6-button automatic tuning . . . oversize speaker . . . full vision dial . . . handsome walnut cabinet.

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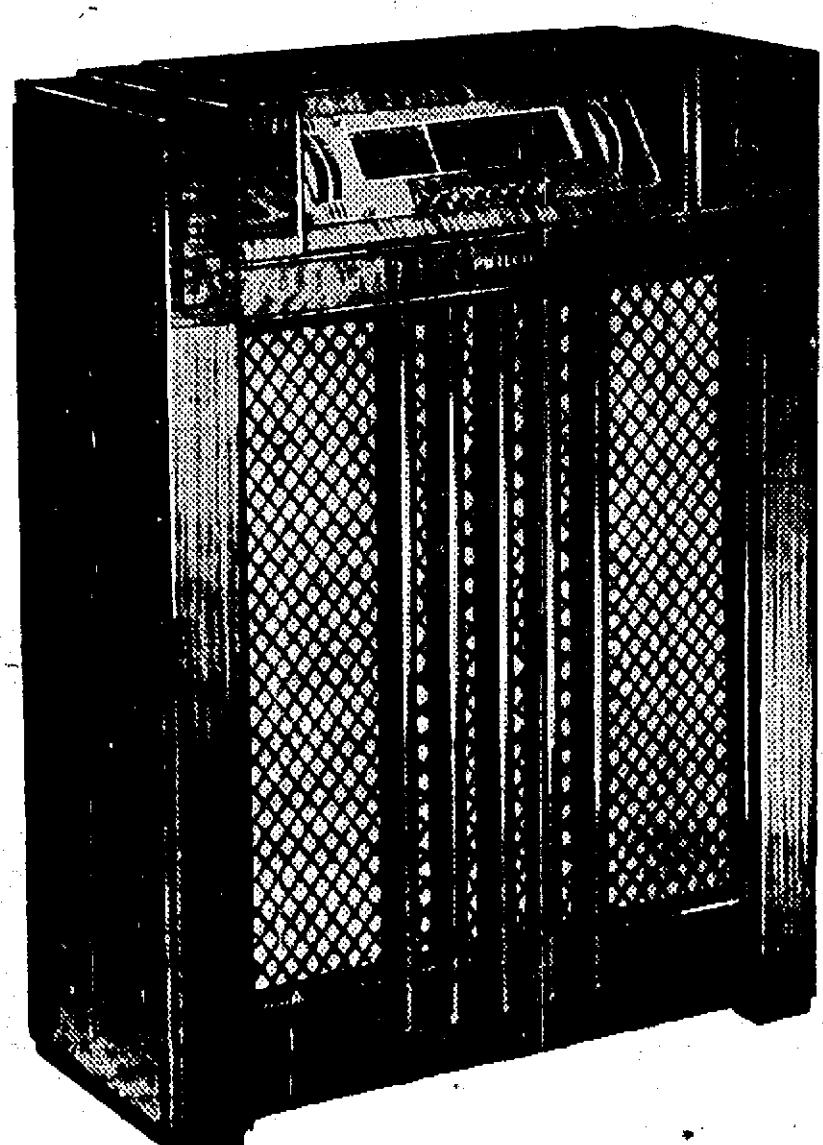


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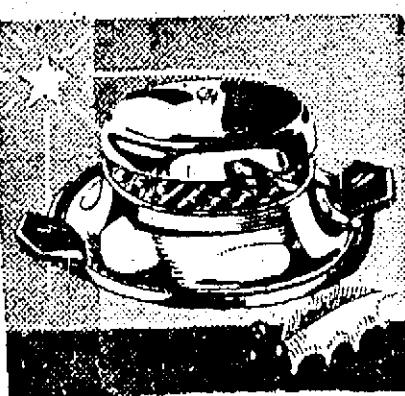
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Here is a beautiful watch for "HER" at a saving you'll never forget. A stunning square model in natural gold filled case with fully guaranteed jeweled movement specially priced for Christmas gift giving. Smart looking link bracelet to match.

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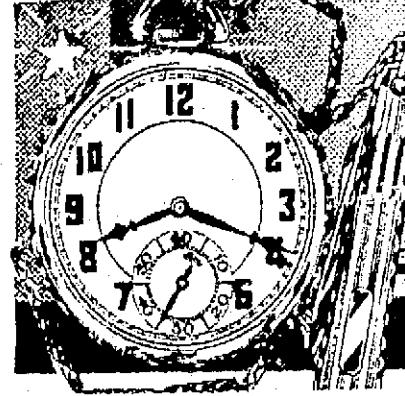


Waffle Iron

A practical gift! Complete with cord, fully guaranteed . . .

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For "Dad" - new thin model with chain and knife . . .

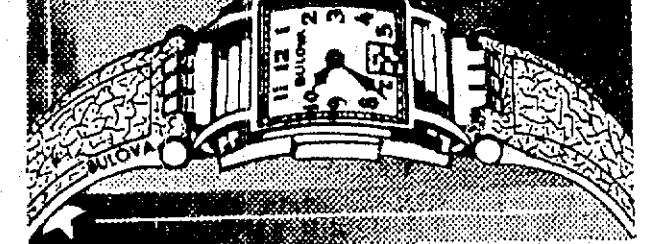
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Man's 17-Jewel Hamilton "Dodson"

A handsome man's watch. Curved to fit his wrist. \$37.50

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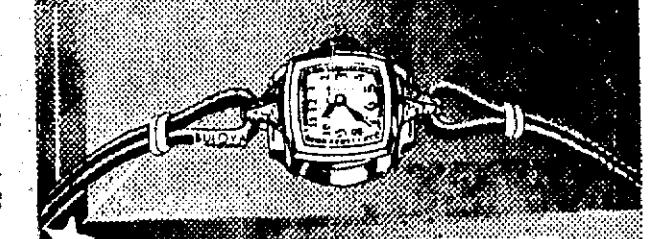


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A popular new model by a famous manufacturer.

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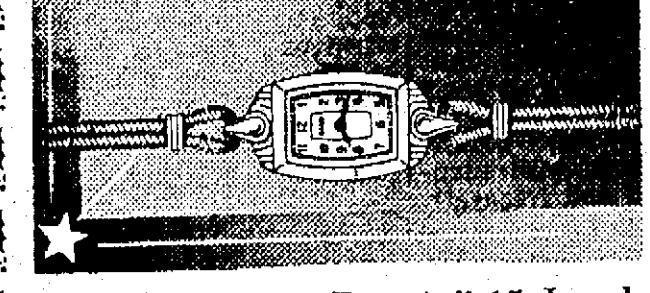
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A striking new design case with cord bracelet. \$39.75

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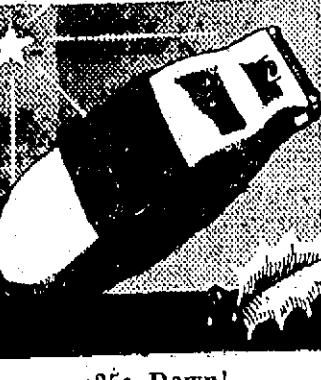
A strikingly beautiful model with special link bracelet. \$27.50

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10 sparkling diamonds in a beautiful ring.
50c A Week!

Two side diamonds to beautify this lovely ring.

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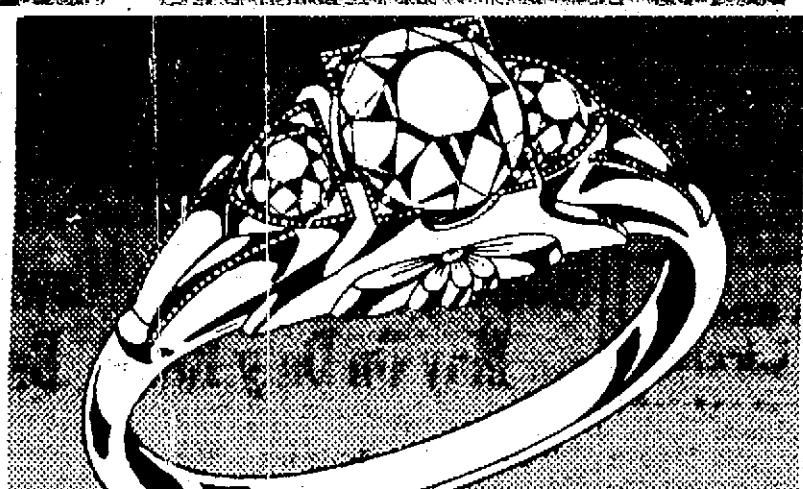


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Both Beautiful Rings Only

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The greatest value of all—two perfectly matched rings in a stunning hand carved design. Four sparkling diamonds in this stunning combination. A marvelous opportunity to save on the most thrilling Christmas gift you could give, and remember your credit is good at Perelman's.

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Notice the detail of this perfectly styled mounting. Two sparkling side diamonds to add to the beauty and appeal of the center stone. Give her this Perelman diamond this Christmas.

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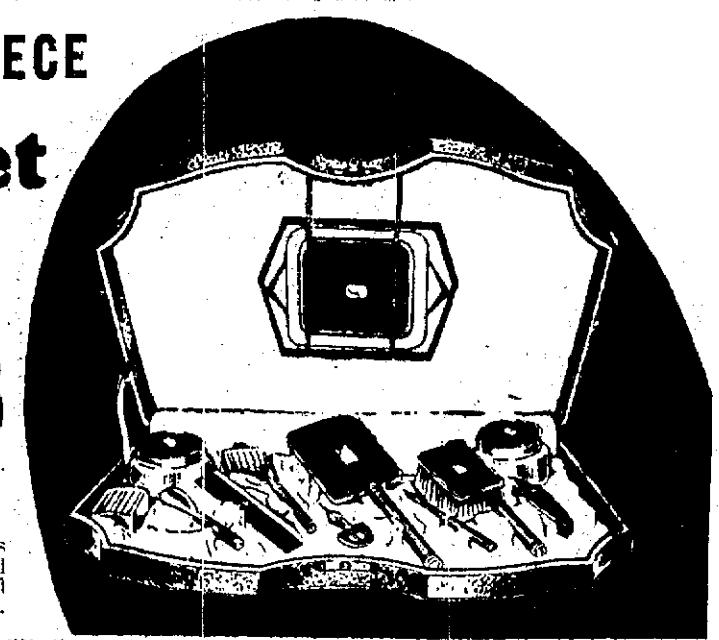
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Smart looking curved model with link bracelet.
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A gift he'll always wear with justified pride . . . Here is a real man's watch with a smart looking curved case and fully guaranteed jeweled movement. Complete with attractive leather strap. A remarkable gift value. Special at Perelman's.

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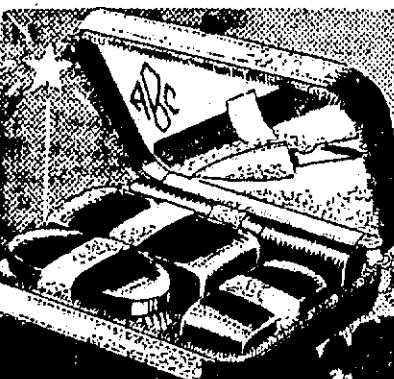
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Large selection of rich looking Rhinestone Jewelry for "HER" . . .

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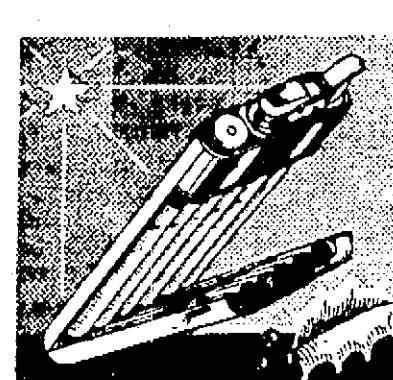
Military Set

A gift that will give him plenty of practical service . . .

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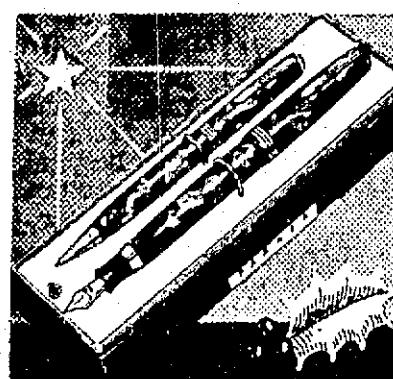


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Cigarette Lighter and Case, all In one, made by Evans . . .

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The ideal gift for man or lady. Large selection . . .

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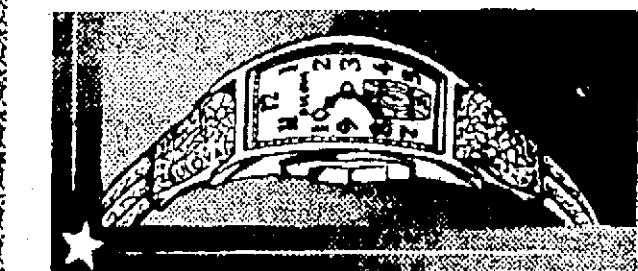


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Complete lines of Hamlin Beach or Mixmaster, on easy terms.

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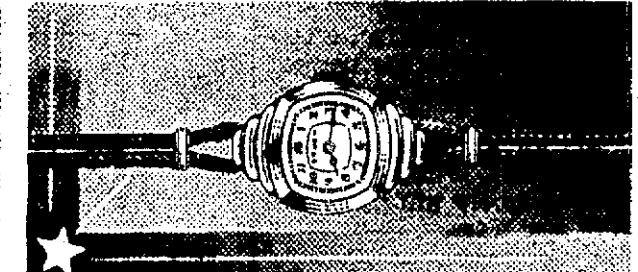


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A beautiful curved case with leather strap. Fully guaranteed.

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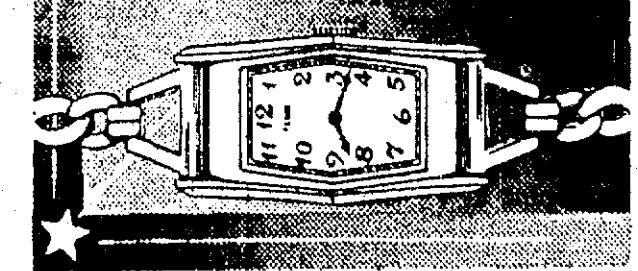


Gruen "Cardinal" 15 Jewels

A dainty yet dependable watch in new style case.

75c Down! 75c Weekly!

\$29.75



Man's 17-Jewel Gruen "Biltmore"

A famous model by a famous manufacturer. Link band.

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Solid Gold Benrus "Colonial Lady"

Smart new square model for "Her". Link band to match.

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Man's Solid Gold Benrus

A strikingly different style watch with leather band.

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SEASON'S
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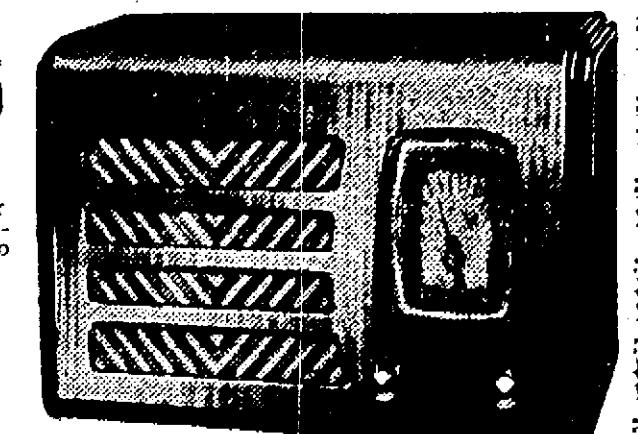
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A beautiful Tribune American design and you can bring it Europe to hear it. See the Freshman automatic tuning.

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\$19.95



Perelman's bring you this outstanding quality Philco table model in a highly polished cabinet for only \$19.95.

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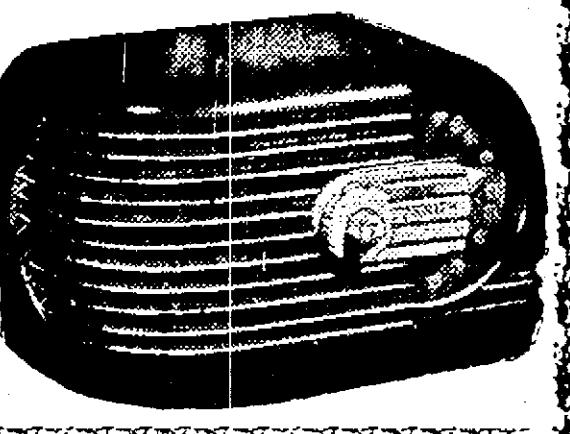
"Believe it or Not," an honest to goodness 5-tube Philco-built superhet for this price.

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ZENITH 6 Tube

Brand New 1939 Superheterodyne

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Here is the radio that has won the popularity in stormy weather. A 6 tube superheterodyne with a matchless tone. Streamlined cabinet.

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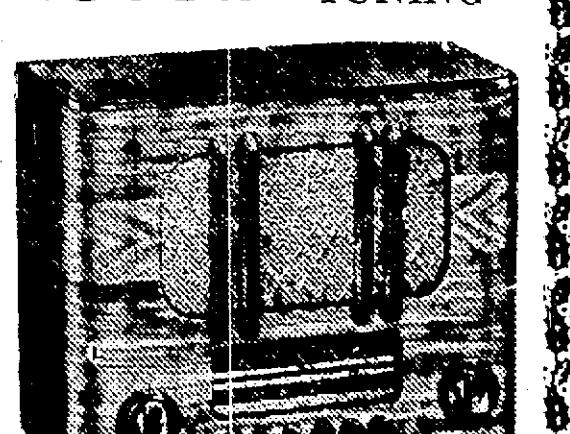
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Attractive full sized table model incorporating electric tuning and many other features that have made RCA a leader in the radio industry.

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New 1939 ZENITH 6 TUBE SUPERHETRODYNE

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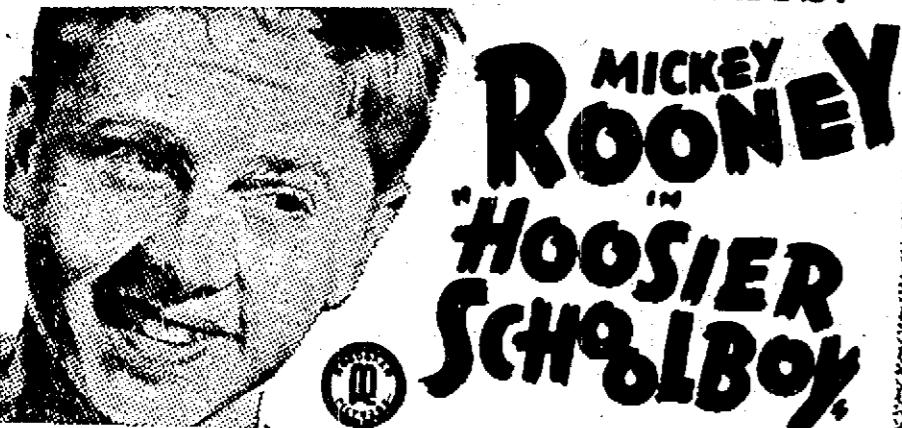
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TONIGHT ONLY! 2 BIG HITS!

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BIRTHS

(Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of writer, and also give name of doctor.)

Jameson Memorial hospital, Decem-
ber 21.

Born to Rev and Mrs. Charles H. Hagdorn, of West 21st street, Erie, a son, in the Jameson Memorial hospital, December 21.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Aiken, of R. F. D. No. 1, Ellwood City, a daughter, in the Jameson Memorial hospital, December 21.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford G. Campbell, of 1213 Williams street, a son this morning, December 21, who has been named Clifford G. Jr.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McFarland, North Ray St. a son this morning.

Although the largest cotton crop on record was produced in the United States last year, grower's income was \$41,000,000 less than in 1936, according to U. S. Bureau of agricultural economics.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Green, 1024 Dewey avenue, a daughter on Saturday, December 17, who has been named Kathryn Luella.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perucci of Wampum, a son on Sunday, December 11, who has been named Clifford G. Jr.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob F. Kahler, of Croton avenue, a daughter, December 20, in the Jameson Memorial hospital.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robb, of Bessemer, a daughter, in the

VICTOR
THE SNOWPLACE OF NEWCASTLE
STARTS TOMORROW
2 DAYS ONLY!HURRY! LAST DAY!
"Heart of
In Technicolor
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IN EPIC SWEEP OVER
HALF THE WORLD!Starts Sat. Xmas Special!
Midnight Show Sunday Night!
"THE DAWN PATROL"
With ERROL FLYNNA matchless cast
of stars . . . with
Mickey Rooney in
one of his great-
est roles!Get Your Movie Quiz Contest Entry In By Dec. 31st.
PENN
TODAY and THURSDAYFeatures at:
1:00-2:45-4:30-6:15-8:00-9:45**Christmas Carol**
A Charles Dickens Story
REGINALD OWEN
GENE LOCKHART
TERRY KILBURN
BARRY MACRAE
LYNN CARVER
HUGO BUTLER
REGULAR RELEASE
REGULAR RELEASEWith a Midnight Show
SUNDAY NIGHT
Sweethearts
with
FRANK MORGAN • RAY BOLGER
FLORENCE RICE • MISCHA AUER
Herman Bing • Reginald Gardiner
Directed by
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With ERROL FLYNNA matchless cast
of stars . . . with
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one of his great-
est roles!**Orchids for Hat****MRS. W. C. POWERS
RECEIVES VEMPO CLUB**

Members of the Vempo club held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. W. C. Powers of the Mt. Jackson road, on Tuesday afternoon. A delicious Christmas luncheon was served at 12 o'clock to the club members.

Following cards were played with high scores being won by Mrs. S. F. Kirk and Mrs. Arthur Scott. A gift exchange was feature and Mrs. Powers was presented with a lovely gift from her associates.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. W. Scott, Whippo street, in two weeks.

John Roussos Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Roussos, Lyndale street, entertained Tuesday, December 20, in honor of their son, John, on his sixth birthday anniversary.

A beautiful birthday cake, decorated in red and green, centered the table where lunch was served to 15 guests. The hostess was aided in serving by her daughters, Clarice and Katherine, and Mrs. A. Russo.

Special guests at the party were Mrs. Elsie Orlando and Mrs. Mary Thomas. Games were played and prizes went to Pauline and Dick Orlando, Andrew Capsky, Dolores Capsky, Sidney Wayne, George Roussos, Tommy Mollic and Joseph Izzo. John received a number of hand-some gifts.

Fuller Circle

Fifteen members of the Fuller Circle of the Croton M. E. church were entertained at a Christmas party in the home of Mildred Crowe, Dewey avenue, on Tuesday evening. Amy McCreary was co-hostess for this event.

Carols were sung by the group after which a play, "The Lighted Window," was presented by members of the Circle. During the social hour, games were played, as well as an exchange of gifts. Mary Sowash and Cynthia Alexander were special guests. A lunch was served.

The next meeting will be January 17 with Grace Locke, Croton avenue. Dorothy Thompson will be co-hostess.

Jitterbug Club

Miss Ruth Meermans was hostess on Tuesday evening when she entertained members of the Jitterbug club at her home on Butler avenue. Cards provided the main pastime and the high score prizes were captured by Beryl Morgan and Ruth Porter. Special guests were Marion Harland and Irene Maise.

Assisting the hostess with a dainty repast was her mother, Mrs. William J. Meermans.

Members will be received at the home of Grace Porter on Young street on Tuesday evening, January 3.

Club Member Honored

Mrs. Anthony Marino and her baby son were honored Tuesday evening when members of the B. A. Social club gathered in their Lee avenue home, surprise fashion, and tendered them a shower. They received a number of lovely gifts.

Bingo was played during the evening hours, prizes going to Mrs. Sam Tomasselli and Mrs. Frank Crisci. A lunch was served by Mrs. Arthur Prioretti, Mrs. James Fenati, Mrs. John Metta and Mrs. Sam Toma-

sello.

Whatevver Class

Whoever class members, of the First Baptist church, held their monthly meeting on Tuesday in the home of their teacher, Mrs. William Wilson, 422 Summer avenue.

At the close of the meeting, a tasty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Francis Sowersby.

There was an exchange of gifts, at which time Mrs. Wilson was presented with a lovely gift from the members of her class.

Grand Army Ladies

Ladies of the Grand Army, George McCracken Circle 168, had an all day quilting on Tuesday in the Modern Woodmen hall. A feature of the meeting was the fish fry held at noon.

On January 3 the group will have another meeting with a tureen dinner being served at noon. Installation of new officers will take place at this time.

S. U. V. To Meet

The Sons of Union Veterans will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the Modern Woodmen hall.

BARBERS CLASS

This evening at the North Street school, the Barbers Science class will hold their meeting.

**Playground Group
Plans Gift Exchange**

A gift exchange will feature the meeting of the old Country club playgrounds committee to be held Friday evening in the clubhouse, about 100 names were drawn for this event at their regular meeting held Monday evening.

All interested in this project may attend the Friday meeting when Christmas carols will be sung around a huge Christmas tree.

The committee's next regular meeting will be Monday evening, January 2.

Penn Power Club
Christmas Party

Male members of the Penn Power club will hold their annual Christmas dinner and party at 6:30 p.m. in The Cathedral. The party always proves one of the outstanding events of the season. Plates will be laid for approximately 250.

URGES MOTORISTS
NOT TO DRIVE IN
STREET CAR TRACKS

T. C. Moore, superintendent of the New Castle Street Electric Railway company today advised motorists not to drive their motor vehicles in street car tracks. "Falling snow is melting, making tracks slippery. In attempting to steer an auto from inside the tracks a skid is likely to occur, inviting accident," he said.

Mrs. Mary Edmunds, has been re-turned to her home, on North Mercer street, where she resides with her sister, Mrs. Winifred James. Mrs. Edmunds is quite ill, and is unable to receive visitors.

Clarence A. Collingwood, of Kuriz street, who has been undergoing treatment at the War Veterans hospital, in Canandaigua, N. Y., has been returned home for two weeks to spend the Christmas holidays.

Norman Lewis, a student at Western Reserve Medical School, of Cleveland, is expected home Thursday to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis, of East Long avenue, during the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. C. C. McKibben, wife of C. C. McKibben, 930 Maryland avenue, who recently underwent an operation in Cleveland, is recovering slowly. Jack, their son, who fractured an arm while playing in Rose Avenue school last week, is also improving.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Lewis Kovachik, Jr., are expected here Friday, from Stamford, Conn., to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Kovachik's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Thomas, and sisters Ann and Gladys, of 1411 Delaware avenue. Mrs. Kovachik will be remembered as Miss Florence Mae Thomas, formerly music instructor at Westminster college.

Gordon Ray—Rhythm on Skates.
Directed from Penthouse,
Cincinnati.Novelli & Hola—Dancers Unique
2 Shows Nightly.Starting At 10 P. M.
No Cover.

Scribe, Patricia Kradel.

Plans were made for a breakfast party on December 29, at the home of Helen Connery, Crescent avenue.

Scribe, Patricia Kradel.

Orchids for Hat**PERSONAL
MENTION**

Charles Kelly, Jr., of 15 Robinson street, is confined to his home, with an attack of grip.

Mrs. William Shipler, of State who is confined to her home with illness, is much improved.

Merle Leroy Kelly, of Robinson street, who has been ill with grip for about ten days, is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander C. Hoyt, East Winter avenue, are guests at the Savoy-Plaza in New York City.

Mrs. Daniel Hartzell, of the East Brook road, has returned home after visiting with relatives in Medway.

Mrs. William Irwin, Mercer, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Jamison, 207 North Crawford avenue.

Mrs. Ray Showalter, Warren avenue, who has been seriously ill in the Jameson Memorial hospital, is improving.

W. Ellsworth Shoaff, of Lathrop St. who has been returned to his home from the New Castle hospital, is quite ill.

Mrs. Anna Culbertson, 213 East Grant street, was badly bruised about the body, Tuesday, when she fell off a ladder.

Mrs. Elizabeth Massouh, of Canton, O., is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Albert, East Reynolds street.

Mrs. Carmen Morell, of the Butler road, who has been confined to bed for the past week by illness, is showing improvement.

Mrs. H. L. Rankin, of West Cherry street, and Mrs. Harvey Gillespie, of Clayton street, spent Monday in Pittsburgh with friends.

Mrs. Homer Drake, 601 Court street, who has been confined to her home for the past two weeks with illness, is able to be out now.

Mrs. Harold Kelly, of West Washington street, has returned from McKeepsport, where she visited with her mother, Mrs. John Holland.

Merrit Mitchell, of Ligonier, has returned home after spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mitchell, Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lloyd, of Portage, have returned after visiting with Mrs. Lloyd's mother Mrs. Chas. Covert, of East Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marcus, of Beaver Falls, spent Tuesday visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lou Kulkin, Winslow avenue.

Mrs. Thomas J. Dugan, of Syracuse, N. Y., has arrived to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyer, 14 South Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Steinbrink, of Erie, visited for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Steinbrink of East Long avenue, and have returned home.

Homer Pence, of North Beaver street, who has been seriously ill at his home for the past several weeks, is showing some slight improvement now.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, of Boston, Mass., are spending their Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Karlher of Englewood avenue.

Dale Woodruff, of 604 Oak street, underwent an operation for appendicitis, at the Jameson Memorial hospital, Tuesday. He is getting along as well as can be expected.

Paul Benninghoff, of 1110 Croton avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown, of Sheridan avenue, have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Grundy, of Cleveland.

Mrs. C. A. Collingwood of Kurtz street, who underwent a minor operation, Monday, at the Jameson Memorial hospital, is improved, and expects to return home this weekend.

Stanley Slater, 15½ Robinson street, who is confined to his home with a badly sprained right leg, is showing improvement. He was hurt in Grove City, where he is employed.

"Secret" sisters were revealed and new ones chosen for the coming year. Mrs. Alice Mackay, teacher of the class, was presented with a lovely personal gift. A special guest was Mrs. Myrtle Connery.

Refreshments were served by Marlene McCue, Martha Hoagland and Mrs. Genevieve Haggerty.

Dorothy Jane Hoover will receive members at her home on McCleary avenue for the next meeting.

Bible Class Party
Mrs. Perry's Bible class of the Calvary Tabernacle held their annual Christmas tree dinner at the home of Malinda Walker on Tuesday evening, at 6 o'clock. Miss Ruby Zeigler was co-hostess.

Places were marked for 16. Later in the evening "big sisters" were revealed, and new names drawn for a period of three months. "White elephant" gifts were also exchanged.

Mrs. Dorothy George led the group in games, with prizes going to Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Yvonne Holopple, and Mrs. Gladys Reiter.

Mrs. Mary Conway was welcomed as a new member of the class. Special guests were Mrs. Conway and two students home from the Bible school in Binghamton, N. Y., Mrs. Arthur Maxwell and Harriet Maxwell.

Maitland Memorial P. M.

At the Maitland Memorial Primitive Methodist church there will be a general class meeting in the Sunday school room this evening. On Thursday, special practice will be called for carol singing.

Junior Christian Endeavor
The Junior Christian Endeavor of the First Congregational church will meet on Friday afternoon at 2:30 for their Christmas party.Tonite, Thursday and Friday
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Make Christmas Safe Fire Chief McIlwain Urges

See That All Possible Fire Hazards Are Eliminated In Home Decorations

SAFETY PLANS ARE SUGGESTED

With Christmas only a few days away, when people are making plans to decorate their homes for the Yuletide season, or have already done so, suggestions for the prevention of fires at the Christmas season are given by Fire Chief A. F. McIlwain.

Although the old-fashioned candle is no longer used in lighting the Christmas tree, many people still place them in windows, handy to lace curtains or other flimsy decorations.

In this, they are tempting fate, the Fire Chief stated. The National Fire Protection Association points out that hundreds of fires occur every year at the Christmas season from this cause.

Dry Christmas trees are also a hazard. When placed indoors, where there are warm fires and little moisture, the trees dry out quickly. In a few days they will burn almost as readily as paper. This drying process can be slowed down somewhat by placing the base of the tree in a pan of water or pail of moistened earth. In any case, the tree should never be placed near an open fire place or stove, or in a position where it may block an exit. It should be firmly anchored so that it cannot easily tipped over by the children in reaching for things.

Throw Trees Away

After the Christmas season is over and the tree has been taken down, postcard.

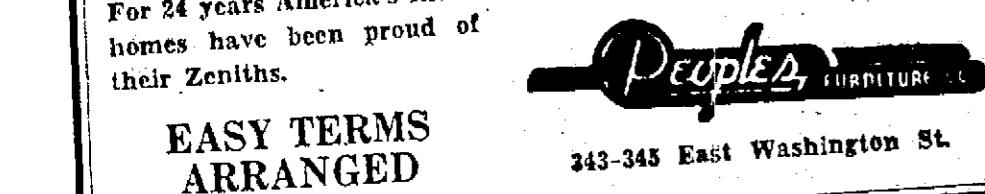
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The Human Side Of The News

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take it outdoors. Chief McIlwain suggests. Do not take it to the cellar where it may be ignited from an overheated furnace or spark.

Also, he reminds, do not forget that the little bulb used in lighting the tree by electricity become very hot after they have been lighted for a while. Keep the lights away from flimsy decorations, or from the branches of the trees. See that no wires are bare, or that sockets are loose, or connections faulty. Tinsel icicles have been known to cause short circuits and resulting fires.

Do not overload the electric circuits of the home so as to blow out the fuses. If the fuse does blow out, do not place pennies or metallic pieces behind the old fuse. Call the electric company, they will supply fuses. Maintaining good fuse protection is especially important during the holidays, the chief warns. It would not be a bad idea to lay in an extra supply for an emergency.

Flamable tree decorations, such as cotton snow, paper, and pyroxylin articles need only a spark to ignite them. It is foolish to use such trimmings, when asbestos, wool, properly treated cotton, metal tinsel and glass decorations can be purchased, and which are prettier than the other kind.

Remove Wrappings

Remove Christmas wrappings and place them in a safe container or better still, burn them. Do not throw them into a pile in the attic or cellar. If such paper is worth saving at all, he stated, it is worth folding up and being placed neatly in a box.

See that your chimney is in good shape. Defective flues cause almost as many fires in the winter season as all other causes combined. The mortar falls out from between the bricks, or the chimney cracks in the settling of the house, and adjoining woodwork takes fire, he stated.

Remember, he stated in conclusion, 10,000 lives are lost in fires every year, and 70 per cent of these are in dwelling fires. A third of the national fire loss occurs in homes.

The National Fire Protection Association of Boston, puts out a neat little pamphlet, "Keep Your Home from Burning," which can be secured by simply addressing them a scientific bookkeeping.

There are some, perhaps, who would cite the vast and continuous exploitation of South America for the last three centuries, the once flourishing cities along the Amazon now sunk in the slime and left to alligators, and who would therefore deny that there is anything new or important going on there. But the fact is that this exploitation is only a shallow fringe.

The late Colonel P. H. Fawcett, British explorer, who sailed to the Matto Grasso region from New York in 1925 and never returned, was an authentic witness to that. Colonel Fawcett had gone to Brazil eighteen years before as a member of the Brazil-Bolivia boundary commission. He had remained to explore—and to marvel, with his discovery of the ruins of an ancient civilization, not that of the Aztecs or the Mayas, older than Egypt or the Toltecs.

He had come to New York and had prepared his expedition here. He had brought with him a plaque, about four by ten inches in size, given him by the ferocious Indians

of the Matto Grasso region. It showed, in his belief, a regal figure, of highly sophisticated art, and it was bordered with symbols which were the archaic letters of Sanskrit, Persian, Greek, Hebrew and other ancient languages. He also brought photographs of ruins and artifacts of lost cities which utterly baffled scientists of the British museum.

In the Rio de Janeiro library, he found a document of the early sixteenth century which was an official report of a Portuguese expedition to great and magnificent ruined cities between the Xingos and Tapajos rivers, flowing north into the Amazon, in the Matto Grasso region.

The Indians, unquestionably the most savage and menacing anywhere in the world, barred his entry to the land of the forbidden cities, which had been described in the report, but they gave him for a tallman the mystifying plaques, which they said had come from that region.

Col. Fawcett believed that here was an early cradle of civilization, older than the Valley of the Euphrates. With his handsome young son Jack, and Raleigh Rimmell, an also handsome young British thoroughbred, he left for the lost world of the Matto Grasso, never to be seen or heard of since. His last runner had brought news of his approach to the forbidden land.

In New York, he had equipped himself with elaborate "magic" apparatus, blinding electric eyes, chemicals to make fire on water and sleight-of-hand apparatus. He said that it was only by such devices that he had been able to stay alive,

by establishing himself as a god among the Matto Grasso savages. The entire party was unquestionably lost—killed by the Indians or succumbing to the wilderness.

Col. Fawcett was a soundly accredited archaeologist and explorer. Responsible scientists have concluded that the still unpenetrated lower Matto Grasso is the archaeological treasure house of the world. A modern plane would reach it in a few hours from the upper Amazon.

To a bored youth who complains that the days of adventure are over, we cite this at random as one of the multitude of lures among the "Green Mansions" down under the Southern Cross.

Community Chorus
Of Mt. Jackson To Sing December 23

Cantata, "Peace On Earth," To Be Presented In School Friday Night

Mt. Jackson Community Chorus will present the cantata, "Peace on Earth" by E. K. Heyser, Friday evening, December 23, at 8 o'clock in the North Beaver consolidated school at Mt. Jackson, under the direction of Loy E. Gwin with Miss Margaret Duff, pianist.

The program is as follows:

The Christmas Story—Rev. E. A. Shetemaker.

Invocation and Scripture—Rev. Ray Woodburn.

Cantata—

Rejoice, O Earth—Choir.

When Jordan Hushed—Soprano solo, Miss Miriam Wallace.

Comfort Ye—Bass solo, choir, Loy E. Gwin.

The Holy Night—Alto solo, Miss Mary Ellen Gwin.

On the Fields With Their Flocks—Women's chorus; bass solo, Willis McCurley; soprano and alto duet, Mrs. C. L. Henderson and Mrs. F. H. Witherpoon.

O Little Town—Oboe and alto solo, Miss Ruth Gruber.

Announcements—

Offertory Prayer—Rev. T. C. Henderson.

Brass Quartet—J. V. Brewster, first trumpet; Loy E. Gwin, second trumpet; William McCurley, trombone; Gale Gibson, bass.

Come, Let Us Go—Men's chorus.

Arise! Shine!—Choir.

Wonderful Star—Tenor solo, Carl M. Padan.

From the Eastern Mountains—Choir.

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New Pastor For Ukraine Church

Rev. Nicholas Urbanovich Takes Over Local Pastorate This Week

CHRISTMAS RITES SUNDAY MORNING

Rev. Nicholas Urbanovich has this week assumed his new duties as pastor of the Holy Trinity Ukrainian Orthodox church, at the corner of Rose and Stanton avenues, New Castle, and will conduct the impressive Christmas services in the church next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

In Rev. Urbanovich the local congregation of Ukrainian people has secured a leader of exceptional quality. In point of education, experience and personality he is splendidly equipped to carry on the religious service which he has chosen for his life work. Making his headquarters in New Castle, he will travel to various communities within a radius of some 50 miles to work among the people of his native land.

Rev. Urbanovich was born and reared in Austrian Ukraine, attended college there, and then entered the Sig. Rectoris university in Prague, Czechoslovakia, where he received degrees in arts and science. He was appointed professor of history at the university and remained in that capacity until coming to Canada 12 years ago to study divinity in the University of Alberta. He received his bachelor of divinity degree and for the past five years has been a missionary for the United Church of Canada.

When a youth in 1914, Urbanovich enlisted in the Austrian army and received the rank of captain. He served during the World War in the regiment of which the last Austrian emperor was colonel. When the downfall of Austria came, the young captain served from 1918 to 1920 with the Ukrainian army fighting the Bolsheviks.

Rev. Urbanovich is an accomplished preacher and linguist. He speaks English well and is familiar with German and the various Slavic tongues, in addition to his native language.

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Graham Names His Secretary

District Congressman-Elect Prepares To Take Office On January 3

Announcement is made today by Louis E. Graham, Congressman-elect of the appointment of Harry A. Schmoyer of Harrisburg as Congressional Secretary. Mr. Schmoyer served five years as assistant secretary to United States Senator George Wharton Pepper, and ten years as secretary to United States Congressman I. H. Dietrich, and prior to that served two years in the office of Gov. William C. Sproul, at Harrisburg.

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**SEVENTH WARD
NEWS**

**Post Office Is
Keeping Ahead
Of Mail Volume**

**Two Extra Clerks Augment
Staff At Mahoningtown
Post Office**

With the aid of two auxiliary clerks at the Mahoningtown Post Office, the regular staff has thus far been able to keep ahead of the huge volume of mail, created by the Christmas season.

According to Edwin McBride, superintendent of the Mahoningtown office, the volume of mail has almost increased three times its normal volume, but he made it clear that the office has as yet been able to keep ahead of the mail.

McBride also stated today that it would speed up the handling of the mail, if all of the patrons would sort their bundles of cards and letters and deposit them in the correct slots. Top chute in the window is for out-of-town mail and the lower one is for Mahoningtown and New Castle mail.

**Two Shows At
Ward School**

Two presentations of the pageant "Why the Chimes Ring" are planned today for the Mahoning school.

The pageant is produced by the pupils of the school and they were to present a performance this afternoon for the other students of the school.

Tonight at 8 o'clock the pageant will be repeated with the parents and friends of the pupils attending. Special stage decorations and attractions have been arranged for the show.

METHODIST CHOIR

GUESTS AT PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cowley, West Madison avenue, were delightful hosts for members of the Mahoning Methodist church choir when they entertained them in their home Monday evening. Co-hosts for the party were Rev. and Mrs. David J. Blasdel.

Games of various types were enjoyed, with Mrs. Wendell McClurg and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Johnston in charge.

Tentative plans were made for the organization of a junior choir. Next meeting will be in the form of a tureen dinner for the members and their families in the church on January 16.

KARDETTES MEET

Mrs. William Peterson of Finch street entertained members of the recently formed Kardettes club in her home recently.

Main diversion of the members was 500. High score prizes were awarded to Miss Genevieve Moss and Bernice Hammond. This was a Christmas party, with an exchange of gifts featuring the program.

A delicious luncheon was served at the close of the program. Next meeting will be on Friday evening, December 30, at the home of Roberta Walker, Cherry street.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

A joint installation for members of the Mabel Wilson Auxiliary and the B. of R. T. No. 855, will be held tonight in the Eagles hall. Installation will be from 9 to 9:30 o'clock, with a social period to follow.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Mrs. Ben Harlan, West Cherry has recovered following her illness.

William Howard, East Madison avenue, is now able to be out following an illness.

Mrs. Harold Unangst, West Cherry street, is spending the day with relatives in Cleveland.

Susie Diane Park, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park of East Cherry street, is improving after a serious illness.

Mrs. J. M. Conn, West Madison avenue, has returned to her home following a visit at the home of Mrs. Mills Leonard, in Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Maxwell of Youngstown have returned home following a visit at the Howard home on East Madison avenue.

Local friends will be interested to learn Mrs. J. A. Waddell's address in Youngstown. Since moving from North Liberty street a short time ago Mrs. Waddell has been residing at 534 Garfield avenue, Youngstown.

**Strike Ties Up
Buffalo Markets**

(International News Service)
BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 21.—A strike of 700 market and produce workers tied up Buffalo's two terminals today, creating fears of a shortage of holiday poultry and food.

While state and federal labor mediators sought to affect a settlement of the dispute involving wages, Police Commissioner Glenn H. McClellan warned that property and lives would be protected. He stated that he would order police to ride trucks should it be necessary to send them through picket lines to make food deliveries.

SEA LIONS POPULAR
(International News Service)
BOSTON—Three sea lions are the most popular specimens of sea life in South Boston's Marine Park Aquarium. They consistently put on the best "show" for visitors with their wrestling and buoyancy. Next in popularity is the Spinney Box, which appears to be made up of a mass of spines and draws attention to its odd makeup.

Argentina expects to save \$3,000,000 a year by replacing steam locomotives with Diesels.

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**EVENING IN PARIS
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At Peoples \$6.50

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Gifts**



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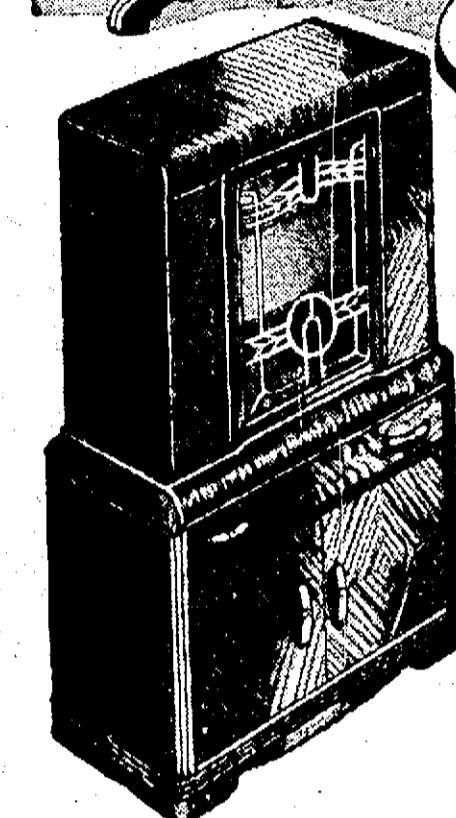
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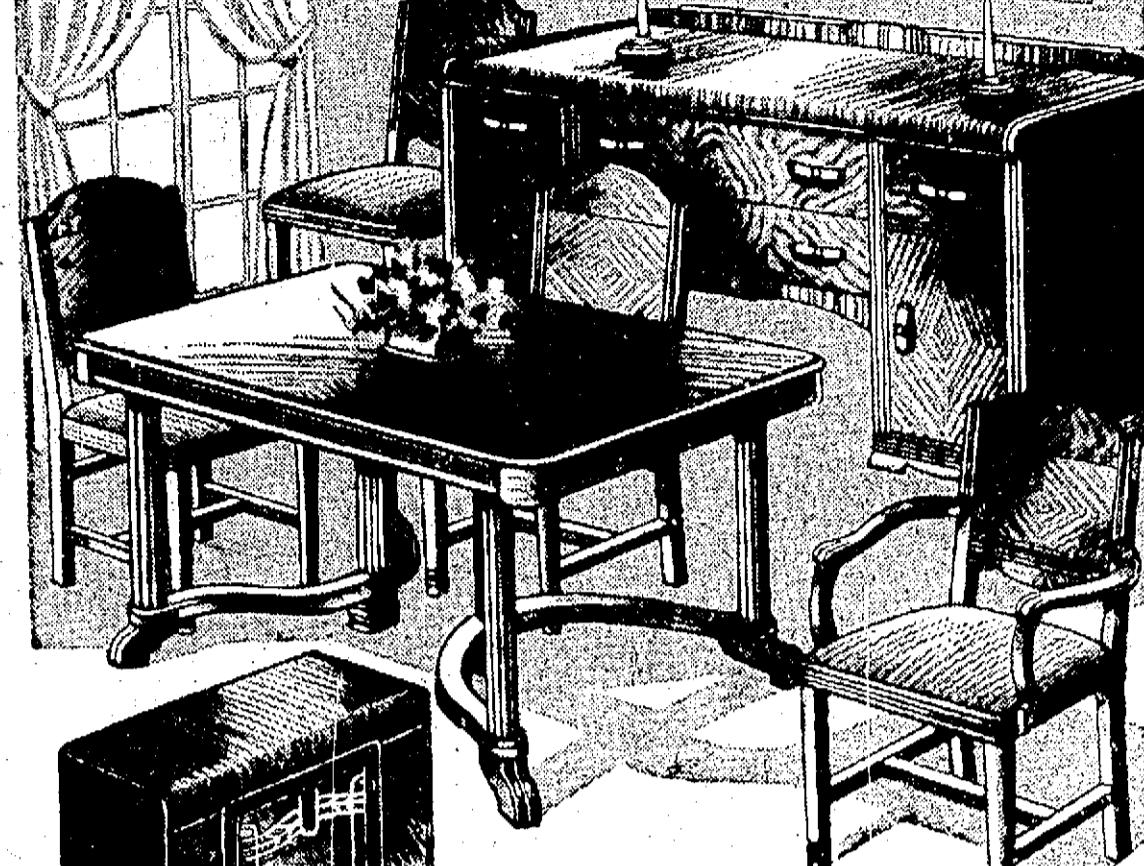
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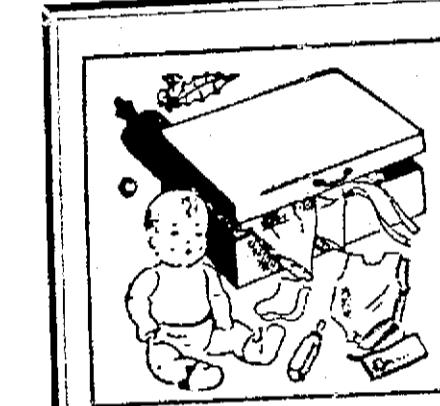
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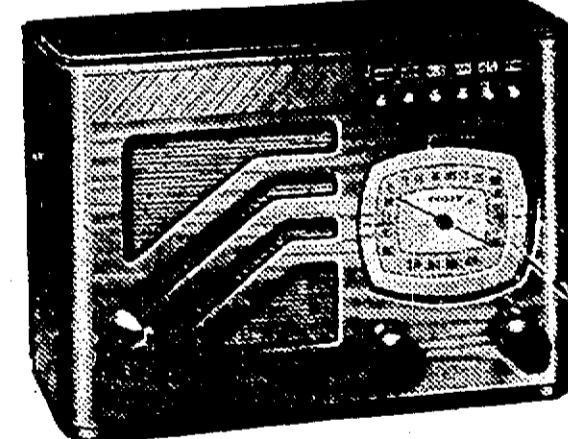
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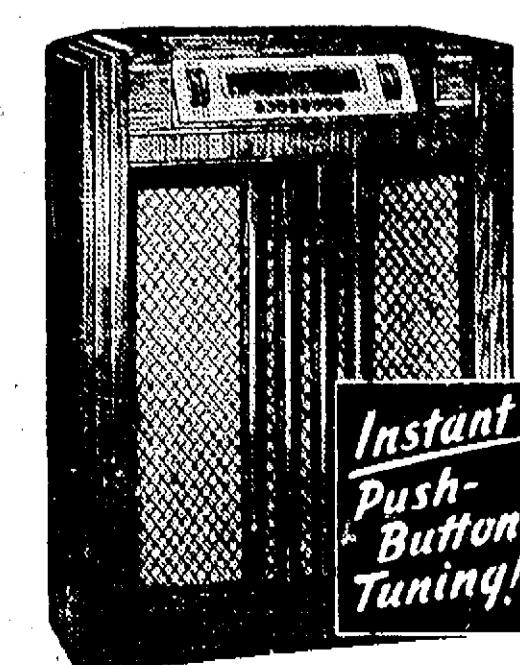


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To Examine Every Italian Youth For Service In Air Corps

Mussolini To Increase Force

Plans To Have Greatest Force Of "Shock Troops Of The Air"

SECRET ORDERS ARE ISSUED IN NATION

(International News Service) LONDON, Dec. 21.—Premier Mussolini in a drive to provide for Italy the most formidable "shock troops of the air" the world has ever seen, has secretly ordered every mentally and physically able youth in the Nation to take special examinations for entry into the Italian air force it was disclosed on reliable authority today.

Every young Italian eligible for army service is being tested to determine his qualifications as an aviator, it was stated. Il Duce's purpose is to create as soon as possible the world's largest force of trained air pilots. According to estimate here, Italy under this plan will eventually possess some 10,000 pilots and air corps reserves.

For Life Enlistment

Men accepted in the Italian air force after passing rigid examinations are being trained for life enlistment, according to the reports, and Mussolini himself is in direct charge of the rebuilding of the air force personnel and equipment.

It is estimated that Italy now possesses 10,000 fully trained pilots and is adding hundreds to this number every week. At the same time, Italian production methods are said to be turning out large numbers of war planes.

According to reports in London Italy has at least 3,000 second string pilots and a reserve of 7,000 men in addition to the 10,000 class A pilots. Mussolini also is believed to have nearly 4,000 bombers which he can order into action at instant notice.

PULASKI

SHAFER-CAMPBELL Mrs. Silas Sturdevant announces the marriage of her son, William Colin Campbell, to Miss Edna Mae Shaffer. They were married by the groom's pastor, Rev. Edgar Doverspike, on November 27, 1938. They were unattended. The only witness was Mrs. Edgar Doverspike.

They will reside for the present with Mr. Campbell's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sturdevant.

LADIES AID The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church was pleasantly entertained Friday evening by Mrs. J. W. McAllister, Mrs. Kerr and Mrs. Hoskins in the home of Mrs. McAllister. Sixteen members were present and Mrs. Henderson was a special guest. Christmas presents were exchanged and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Esther Etzrott and Mrs. Graham.

SCHOLASTIC HONOR Edward Borowicz of Pulaski R. D. earned a place on the freshman scholastic honor roll for the second six weeks of study which ended recently at Sterling, Kan. He earned an "B" or better in all courses in which he is enrolled.

Nearly half of the freshman class earned grades of sufficient quality to be on the honor roll, and it indicates an exceptionally high scholastic standing for first year students.

PULASKI NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ribley of New Castle were guests of friends in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Michael of Parkstown were callers in town recently.

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and children of New Castle were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sturdevant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilliland of Mercer called on Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gilliland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swisher of New Castle were guests of Mrs. Mary Jennings on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Newton of Ellwood City were guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Walker on Sunday.

Miss Lois Kerr spent the weekend in New Castle as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lee E. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson of Struthers, O., were guests of their mother, Mrs. Laura Wilson, Sunday.

Dean Tomer was a caller on friends in town after returning from a trip to New York and Connecticut and other eastern states.

Friends of Mrs. Audrey Mershimer of Youngstown are sorry to hear she is seriously ill. Her sister, Mrs. Knox, has postponed her trip south for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Kerr and Miss Lois Kerr and Mrs. Elton Paritch were Pittsburgh visitors last Friday. In the evening they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schell of East Liberty. Mr. and Mrs. Schell are former residents of Pulaski.

Trades And Labor Assembly Elects

Ralph Audino Is Named President For Coming Year At Annual Election

At the annual election of officers, which took place Tuesday evening in the Trades and Labor Assembly hall in the Wallace Building, Ralph Audino, well known Baltimore and Ohio employee, was elected president for the coming year.

Other officers named were: vice president, Mark Must; secretary, Ray Nolte; treasurer, Mrs. Elener Skundor; Sergeant at Arms, Gust Bobulin; trustees, Clarence Brown, Frank Doyle, and Mrs. Cecelia Hale.

Eugene Nolte Arrives In City

Lieut. Eugene Nolte, who has served for eighteen months with the Spanish Loyalist forces in Spain, as a member of the International Brigade, arrived at his home here last evening. He landed in New York last week, but had to remain there until Monday until finally discharged.

Lieut. Nolte was fortunate in not receiving any serious wounds during the fighting, escaping miraculously on a number of occasions, when men were killed all about him, he stated. He was wounded on several occasions, but his wounds were of a minor nature.

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THUMB-SUCKING

CONSTITUTES IMPORTANT PROBLEM TO MOTHERS

Every month I get many letters from mothers who want to know how to break children of the habit of thumb-sucking that I have become convinced that it is very important matter insofar as the raising of children is concerned.

The impression has gotten abroad that if a baby starts sucking its thumb, then it automatically follows that his mouth will be malformed and his teeth will be out of shape. Of course, there is danger that if a baby is allowed to suck its thumb as much as it likes that the mouth won't achieve its proper shape and the teeth may be thrown out of line as a result.

Much too often, I am afraid, mothers overdo things in trying to cure this habit in children. In fact, they emphasize the habit so much that the child is apt to suck its thumb because his or her action has been drawn to it so often.

What convinces me that most people overemphasize this habit, is the experience we had when the Quintuplets were born. We received all kinds of medicines and apparatus from people all over the United States and Canada, along with a whole lot of regulations and instructions as to its use.

Most of the medicines sent us contained bad-tasting ingredients. You were supposed to put this on the baby's thumb, and when the child put the thumb in its mouth, the bad taste induced it to remove the thumb at once.

Of course we didn't try it on the Quints but I have known other mothers to try it, and I can't say I'm in favor of it. For one thing, the child usually has ideas of his own, and he may such his thumb no matter how disagreeable the taste.

The apparatus we received consisted usually of splints of various lengths and kinds. Some such splints would cover only the thumb; others were for the baby's whole hand; some were huge things supposed to cover the infant's arm and hand. They were pretty formidable cures, I can tell you.

I had some people write me and advise that we sew up the sleeves of the children's nighties so they couldn't get at their thumbs when they went to bed. All these people, some of them dentists, warned me that if the children sucked their thumbs their teeth would undoubtedly grow in crooked.

We were fortunate at this time to

have the advice of Dr. W. E. Blatz, head of a group studying child psychology in the University of Toronto. Dr. Blatz at that time was supervising their pre-school training. He had no hesitation in supporting our theory that all medicines and mechanical means for breaking this habit were no good. In place of these, he advised us to train the children in proper habits, and in that way this habit would take care of itself.

Don't misunderstand me, I am not saying that thumb-sucking isn't bad. I'm sure that it has a bad effect on incoming teeth. But if it isn't continued too long, I don't think any permanent damage will be done.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES Word was received that Bert Morrow, a former well-known resident of this place had died at his home in a suburb of Chicago.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Morrow have brothers and sisters living in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Javens of Ellwood City, attended the funeral.

CAROL SINGING School Choruses will have their annual Christmas carol singing on Wednesday evening, December 21.

The program will begin when the

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News-Penn Kiddies' Show To Draw 1,200 Thursday

One of New Castle's biggest Christmas holiday parties takes place Thursday morning when the New Castle News and Penn theater together play host to 1,200 of the city's worthiest boys and girls at a free showing of the motion picture, "A Christmas Carol." The throng will see the film at the Penn. The showing commences at 9:30. Tickets (and every child must have a ticket) were out today and the 1,200 kiddies, almost too anxious for words, were all set to enjoy the picture. They will see a film which has won the praise of noted critics, because it brings to the screen Dickens' world-famous story of a miser's regeneration through a little child.

Assisting Manager M. D. Cohn and the Penn organization will be special police and firemen. They are being assigned watch out for the safety of the children.

General Manager J. F. Renta of The News, who supervised the distribution of tickets, reported that "the worthiest will be there."

"For this picture," he said, "is for the 1,200 youngsters who are needed who deserve to see such a fine picture."

Playing roles in the film are such stars as Reginald Owen, Gene Lockhart, Kathleen Lockhart, Terry Kilburn, Barry Mackay and Lynne Carver and others.

6:30, the congregation is urged to make as much of this service as possible as there will be neither Sunday school nor midday worship service on Sunday morning. The choir will present their cantata in the evening at 8.

STUDENTS HOME FOR VACATION.

The students attending the various schools now home on vacation are Harold Heberg, Percy Griffin, Joseph Wolfe, Arthur Williams from University of Pittsburgh; Wayne Davis, Jr., Harry Shoup, Westminister; Homer Poushey, Edwin Pearson, William Kursel from Ohio University; Miss Virginia Mandich, Louis Mandich, Dick DeArment from Pennsylvania State.

News Briefs From City Hall

Traffic Commissioner Thomas Jones circulated in various sections of the city today untangling traffic blockades whenever they came as a result of shoppers automobiles competing traffic.

Two cars were reported stolen here yesterday. One was a Ford owned by John Whitten and was taken from 214 East Wallace avenue. It carried Pennsylvania license MZ414 and contained \$100.00 worth of refrigerator tools. The other was a Ford owned by Irving Long, R. D. 3. It carried license RD88. Whitten's car was taken at 1 p.m., and Long's car at 9 p.m.

Burglars were reported to have operated near police headquarters last night, R. J. Hanna having informed police that tools worth approximately \$20.00, were stolen from a rear room in an empty room at 24 East street.

Edward Umbricht reported today that tin cans would be collected in the eastern part of the East Side, Thursday. The collection will start at the city line and proceed eastward.

Youths were reported to have annoyed persons who attended an entertainment in the Croton public school last night. Police were sent to the district.

In Prohibition days it was no strange sight to see an unfortunate who had imbibed too freely of illicit liquor fall over, "dead drunk." However, yesterday two persons brought back memories of those days because both were found using a public highway to sleep off a "jag." They were arrested but set free in police court this morning.

HOSPITAL NOTES

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL Admitted: Mrs. Rilla Majors, Rose Avenue; Mrs. Florence Ammons, R. F. D. No. 2; Dale Woodruff, Oak street; Ed. Strawhecker, R. F. D. No. 7.

Discharged: Pearl Ann Strawhecker, Edeburg; Mrs. Georgia Morris, R. F. D. No. 5, Mercer road; Mrs. Bessie Bevan, Laurel Boulevard; Mrs. Alice Luella Dukes, Park avenue; Mrs. Audrey Beals and infant daughter, Hillcrest avenue; Mrs. Julia Joseph and infant son, Pennsylvania avenue.

NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL Admitted: Miss Margaret Stinard, rent 308 Pine street; Mrs. Mary Retort, Hillsdale.

Discharged: Mrs. Margaret Patterson, 123 Charles street; J. H. Gritt, R. F. D. 2; Diana Masters, 217 South Cedar street.

BESSEMER

MISS JUNE ROWE; vice president, Irma Ek; secretary, Britt Swanson; treasurer, Winfred Summers; social chairman, Ruth Niece.

After the business was concluded games filled in the remainder of the evening until refreshments were served.

CHANGED RESIDENCE

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Barker and family have changed their residence from Treevose, Penna., to Bessemer.

ROTARY CLUB MEETING

The Rotary Club of Bessemer will hold their regular meeting in the basement of the Presbyterian church at 6. There will be a guest speaker.

CHRISTMAS MORNING SERVICE

The annual Christmas morning service will be held in the Bessemer Presbyterian church on Sunday morning (Christmas morning).

PINEAPPLE Whole Slices big can 20c

POWDERED SUGAR . . . pkg. 7c

HERSHEY'S COCOA 1-lb. can 12c

NAVY BEANS . . . 3 lb. 11c

KRAUT . . . 4 big cans 25c

FLOUR Red Wing 24½ lb. 66c

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SAUSAGE Home Made lb. 20c

LARD Armour's Star 2 lb. 17c

BACON Sliced 5-lb. box 53c

CANDY Light Chocolate 5-lb. box 69c

COFFEE Chase & Sanborn 2 lb. 45c

APPLES - Baldwin - pk. 39c

MAINE POTATOES Good Cookers pk. 39c

BUTTER Cloverbloom lb. 29c

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Robert T. Dicks to John Macko, Jr., Union township, \$1.

Cecil J. Johnston to Frank K. Fox, Ellwood City, \$1.

Roy B. Grafton to Frederick P. Shaffer, Neshannock township, \$1.

Oscar McQuiston to James E. Chambers, Wayne, \$1.

James E. Chambers to Cora McQuiston, Wayne, \$1.

Home Owners Loan Corporation to R. B. Grafton, second ward, \$4-100.

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Steve Kolapski, 1003 Ashland avenue.

Catherine Moran, 609 Newell avenue.

Nick Colick, Lowellville, O.

George Arvid Gronman, 207 Scott street.

Sara Linz, 118 West Long avenue.

Nicola Pelingo Barillo, 524 Uster Street.

Mrs. Susanne Schaser, 714 Wayne avenue.

Giuseppe Sirimano, 1221 Lawrence Ave., Ellwood City.

Mrs. Marie Albertini, 1028 Beckford street.

Vincenzo Maravola, Hillsboro.

Mary Dorcich, Bessemer.

Mrs. Anna Eileen Dahl, 718 Oak street.

Kate Herbolich, Bessemer.

Mrs. Katarzyna Cwakala, 65 High street.

Antoniola Pilch, 76 Bluff St.

Paul Anshelm Pakkanen, 820 East Linton street.

Sisto Ascone, West Pittsburg.

Anna Lucia Rubles, 1118 Dewey avenue.

Kazimir Skuta, 1016 S. Jefferson street.

Felice Pignata, 8 Mainland St.

William Gamble, 217 Chestnut St.

Mrs. Karolina Walczak, 7 Northview Ave.

Mrs. Maddalena Pecoraro, 1205 Lafayette street.

Dr. Charles Nader, 1203 S. Mill street.

Gustav Masezik, 306 E. Washington street.

Another report said a car operated

by Mrs. William Barnes, Harmony, R. D. 1, was compelled to swerve because of a parked car in the line of traffic and an auto coming from an opposite direction.

This caused her auto, she told police, to strike a city truck driven by Charles Nolan.

JACK H. GRITTE

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Jack H. Gritte, R. F. D. No. 2, who has been confined to the New Castle hospital for the past several days, has been discharged from treatment.

Gritte suffered the loss of two fingers of his left hand while repairing toys for the needy children.

TOWNSEND CLUB

East Townsend Club No. 3 will meet Thursday evening at 8 at their hall, at 812 Morton street. After the meeting there will be a social time.

Workers Alliance Plans For Protest

March To Capital

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 21—WPA workers today prepared to stage a march on the capital Friday in protest against the slashing of WPA rolls while WPA officials went ahead with their plans to reduce the rolls further.

The Workers Alliance of Pennsylvania announced it would lead a statewide delegation of WPA workers to the capital for a protest meeting and "for one last desperate effort to give a happy Christmas to 45,000 dismissed families in Pennsylvania" by bringing about the reinstatement of dismissed workers.

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**Michigan Picks
Vandenberg As
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**Believe That Michigan Senator
Is Leading Republican Pres-
idential Candidate**

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Michigan will offer the name of Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg to the next Republican national convention for the presidential nomination unless something unforeseen happens, Rep. Roy Woodruff (R) of Michigan, said today.

The possibility of another native of Michigan—District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey of New York—being on the ticket also was foreseen by Woodruff.

"It is believed by friends of Senator Vandenberg that he will not actively campaign for the nomination," said Woodruff. "According to Senator-Elect Taft of Ohio, Senator Vandenberg is easily the leading candidate. In suggesting Senator Vandenberg, I want it understood that I do not speak for him."

Woodruff forecast a great political future for District Attorney Dewey, a native of his Michigan district.

"Wouldn't it be strange if Michigan supplied both presidential and vice-presidential candidates in 1940?" he asked.

NO. 2 MINE

HAVE MOVED
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Filer of the Mercer-Greenville road, have moved here to the house formerly occupied by C. G. Humphrey.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner announce the engagement of their daughter Virginia, to William Christy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Christy. No date has been set for the wedding.

NOTES
Mr. and Mrs. John Serwatka spent Saturday with relatives at Beaver Falls.

Miss Martha Crowe, of Mercer, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Crowe.

Miss Mary Serwatka spent Sunday

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at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Campbell, of Mine No. 5.

Mr. Kilgore of Uniontown was a caller at the Union Supply Store on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hardisky and children spent Sunday with relatives in New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. William McComb of Sharon were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stevenson.

Mrs. Esther Gully is visiting at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stevenson, at Farrell.

Miss Dorothy Drake, of this place and Miss Estelle Adams of Plain Grove attended the evangelistic campaign held on Thursday evening at Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grundy and daughter Marian spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Black, of Warren, O.

**Third U. P. Sunday
School To Gather**

**Christmas Program And Treat
Will Take Place On Thurs-
day Night**

The Third United Presbyterian Sabbath school will have the annual Christmas program and treat on Thursday evening, December 22, a 7:45.

The program follows:

"Silent Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem"—Junior Department, Welcome—Marty Anne Jones.

Song—Audrey Hanna. This Job of Being Santa Claus—Bobby Yeates.

What Santa Brought For me—Harry Edward Potter. Accordion solo—Mary Lou Brunton.

The Tiny Stocking—Ruth Elaine Gibson.

Advice—Jimmy Dufford.

The Little Speaker—Jimmy Bryan.

Song—Audrey Hanna.

Part II:

Piano solos—David Jones, Jr.

Exercise: "What Santa Brought—Mabel Louise Huffman, Richard Mooney, Shirlene McGuire, Donna Mae McBride, Gene Newton.

Violin solo—Phyllis Burdette.

Recitation, "My Favorite Tree"—Joseph Thornburg.

Pantomime, "Luther's Cradle Hymn"—Marjorie Thompson and Lillian Snock; light bearers—Bobette Moore, Dorothy Lou Hamaker, Kenneth Smith, Sonny Lewis, Donald Bixler.

Chorus—Intermediate Girls.

Part III:

"Joy to the World," "O Come All Ye Faithful"—Junior Department.

Playlet, "The Strike in Santa Land"—Characters: Mr. Santa Claus, Albert Pilifant; Mrs. Santa Claus, Delores Flansburg; Dr. Cur-en Quickly, Junior McConnell; Fairy Youngheart, Ruthan Reed; Little Girl, Janey McCracken; Jack Frost, Fred Beard; Brownie Good Cheer, Jack Gordon; Fairy Help-a-long, Sally Lou Campbell; Fairy Kind-Thoughts, Bonnie Bauder; Fairy Good-Will, Donna Stewart; Recitation, "Santa is Coming To-night"—Carol Lee McDermott.

NOT MANY CALENDARS

Usually at this time of year a flock of calendars is delivered to the city building offices. However, so far this year not many calendars for 1939 have been delivered.

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**Timely Warnings
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Because of the Christmas season, Police Lieutenant Cecil F. Suber, today issued some worthwhile instructions to citizens as a part of the police department's endeavor to prevent thefts.

Do not leave notes in milk bottles or mail boxes for milk men or others, stating that you are not at home and giving the time when you will return. This is good information for sneak thieves.

Do not admit any person, representing himself as an agent of a public utility, unless the person displays proper credentials. If in doubt, telephone the utility company office.

Refuse information to strangers regarding the movements of your neighbors.

A bank is the safest place for money. Thieves always look behind pictures, beneath mattresses, in desks and beneath carpets.

Do not fail to leave your house illuminated at night. The few cents expended for current may save you dollars in grief.

Keep a record of the serial number of bonds, stocks and valuable watches. The numbers will assist in recovery if such are stolen.

Should a crime be committed in your home do not permit anyone to touch anything. Fingerprints may result in apprehension.

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Peoples Mission

**Sunday School Is
Planning Program**

**Christmas Presentation In Mis-
sion Friday Evening At
7 O'Clock**

Friday evening at 7 o'clock the Sunday school of the Peoples Mission will give the following Christmas program in the mission building on Sampson street:

Scripture reading—William Gamble.

Address of welcome—Betty Jean Montgomery.

"A Hope"—Dick Johnson.

"A Little Tot"—Erma Byler.

"Merry Christmas"—Wayne Arnold.

"A Short Greeting"—Chester Bees.

"A Knock at Your Heart"—Jessie Weidman.

"Your Presents"—Don Bees.

"How Wonderful to be a Star"—Norma June Black.

"The Modern Guest"—Roseda Morazzana.

Song by the young ladies, "The Magician"—Throne.

"The Boy of Bethlehem"—Nick Petro.

"No Little Cradle"—Jean Boyles.

"The Christmas Story"—Delores Huff.

"The Joy of Christmas Time"—Carl White.

"Christmas Joy"—Clara Calabrese.

"A Christmas Wish"—Beverly Phillips.

"The Wise Men"—Harry Warner Shaffer.

"Come to the King"—Olive Ruth Owyer.

"The Lovely Star"—Dorothy Huff.

Duet by Jean and Ilene Proctor—"His Lowly Birthplace."

Dialogue by Myrtle Montgomery's class.

"Wonderful the Story"—Neal Boyles.

"Around the World"—Ruth Magna.

"The Christmas Tree"—Betty Miller.

"Far More Than Gold"—Margie Davis.

"The Best Part of Christmas"—Deloris Byler.

"Christmas"—Billy Boyles.

"Christmas Wishes"—Thelma Montgomery.

"Dear Christmas Bells"—Doyle Love.

"Seeking the Saviour"—Lee Morazzana.

"A Holly Wreath"—James Wiedman.

"Christmas at the Door"—Bob Bees.

"Sharing His Birthday"—Walter White.

"A Dear Gift"—Lucy Petro.

Song by the young ladies, "Bethlehem."

"The Poorest One at Christmas"—Francis Petro.

"The Bells of Christmastide"—Vivian Phillips.

"Shadows Across the Sheep Fold"—Mary Lou Vannatten.

"A Guest at the Feast"—Tom Bees.

"His Story"—Mary Palmer.

"World Peace"—Ruth Miller.

Duet by Mrs. Ed. Johnson and Anabelle Miller.

Recitation—Billy Gamble, Jr.

Song by the young ladies, "The Hallelujah Song."

Pageant by the Sunshine class.

Closing prayer—Addison Arnold.

Distribution of awards.

ATTENTION LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS

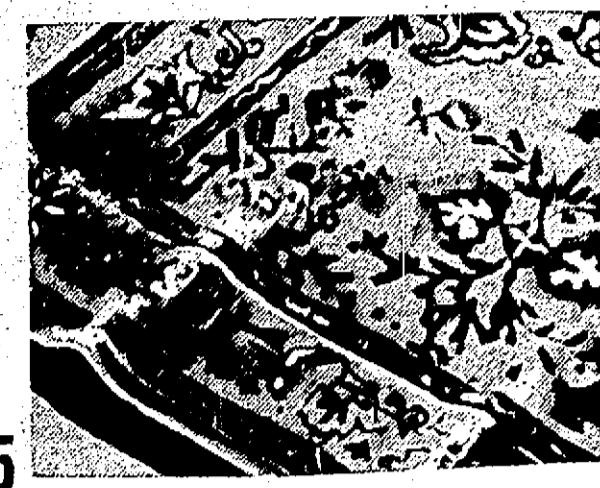
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Frisco Auxiliary Elects Officers

Frances Organization Chooses
Mrs. Elsie Stevenson As
New President

ELLWOOD CITY, Pa., Dec. 21.—When the members of the Auxiliary of the Franklin Township fire department held their regular meeting last evening in the Fireman's Hall, at Frisco, forty-four members and one guest, Mrs. Chas. Rolette, were in attendance.

The main feature of the evening was an election of officers which resulted: president, Mrs. Elsie Stevenson; vice-president, Mrs. Rose Brindle; secretary, Mrs. Martha Hazel; treasurer, Mrs. Edith Blinn; and kitchen committee Mrs. Blanche Heusner, Mrs. Ruth Price, Mrs. Mary Partington, Mrs. Nan Summer, Mrs. Agnes Brown, Mrs. Blanche Brandt and Mrs. Mary Milnes.

Arrangements were completed for a party to be held for children of Auxiliary members and firemen's children on Thursday evening from 7 until 8:30 p.m. at the hall. Almost successful year is being concluded under the guidance of the retiring president, Mrs. Jennie Thornhill. Diversing entertainment was in charge of Mrs. Blanche Brandt afte which a delicious lunch was served by a committee. Nice gifts were exchanged as the concluding feature.

Tuesday evening, January 3, marks the date of the next meeting.

Shelby Chorus Carol Numbers Are Announced

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—The Shelby male chorus of the National Tuba company through its director, James Croft, and Business Manager Walter Levere announced the following program of Christmas carols that will be sung from the municipal building steps from 7 to 8 o'clock Saturday night.

"Oh, Come All Ye Faithful."

"Silent Night."

"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

"The First Noel."

"Joy to the World."

"Oh! Sanctissima."

"When the Crimson Sun Has Set."

"Lo! How a Rose E'er Blooming."

The carol-singing has purposely been arranged to start promptly at 8 p.m. and end promptly at 8 o'clock.

Wurtemburg Class Christmas Dinner

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—Most enjoyable was the annual Yuletide party held by members of the Mary Bieden class of the Wurtemburg U. P. church on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Cora Cunningham of Wurtemburg.

Fourteen members and four guests—Mrs. Michael Lampe, Mrs. William Lampe, Miss Anna Frischkorn and Miss Maggie Hay, all of Wurtemburg—participated in the evening's activities.

To begin the affair members gathered at 6:30 o'clock for an appetizing turken dinner served by the hostess, who had Mrs. Ross McElveen, Mrs. J. E. Caughey, Mrs. W. L. Franklin and Mrs. J. H. Newton as aides.

Remaining hours were passed informally with a contest being won by Mrs. Harry Fury, Mrs. James Smith and Miss Hay. Gayly wrapped gifts were exchanged as the concluding feature. Plans were made to remember a shut-in friend with a gift at Christmas time.

Curry Funeral Tuesday Morning

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—Funeral services for Mrs. Walter Curry, who passed away on Saturday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Morgan, of Rockdale, after an illness of several weeks, were held on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from the St. Gregory's Catholic church, in Zelienople.

The services were very largely attended by bereaved relatives and friends a number coming from Fairsville, Leechburg and New York.

Serving as pallbearers were eight nephews, Russell, Oscar, Clyde, George, William, James, Raymond and Ralph Curry. Interment was made in the Zelienople cemetery.

Margaret Clyde Guest Of Club

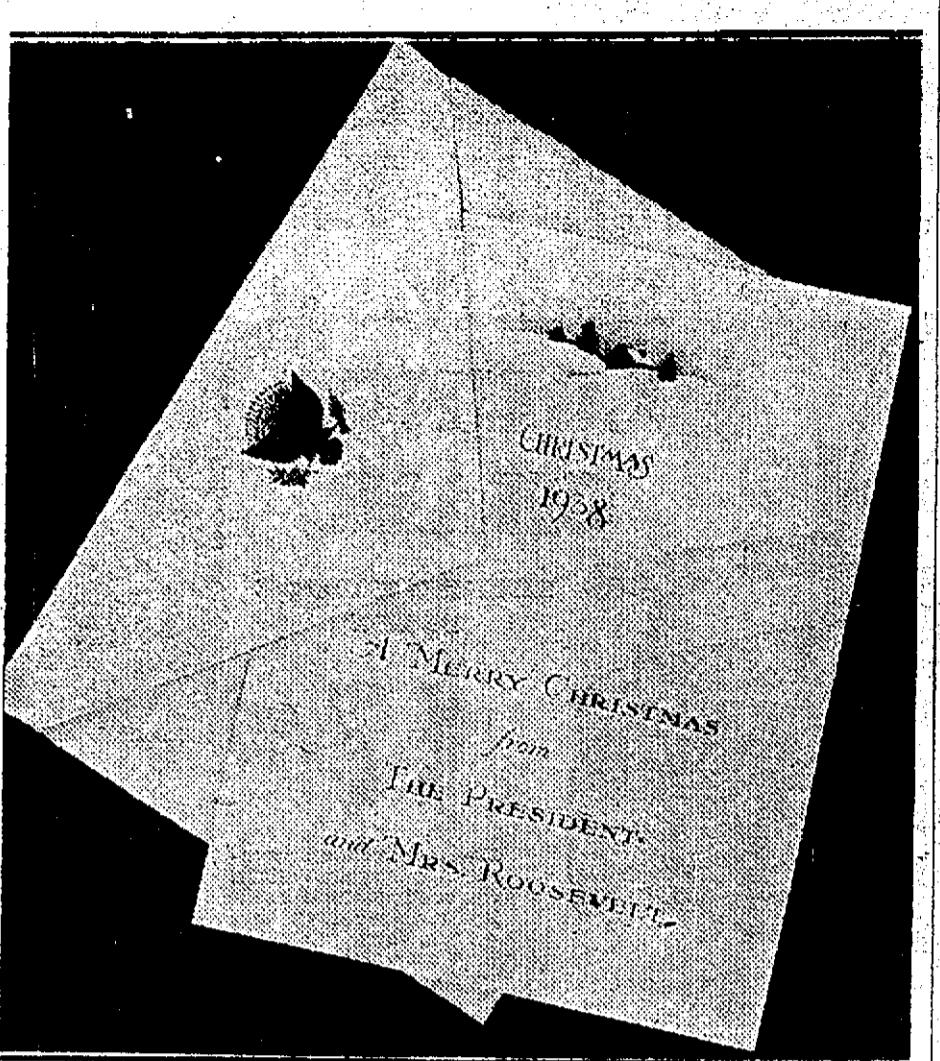
ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—Miss Mary Evelyn Christie graciously entertained members of her bridge club for the bi-weekly meeting last evening at her home, in Franklin Avenue. Miss Margaret Clyde shared as a special guest.

Contract was played at two tables for several hours with Miss Helen Hou winning the top score award.

Dainty refreshments were served at a beautifully appointed table.

Members were invited to meet again on Tuesday evening, January 3, at the home of Miss Lyla Vogler, of Todd avenue.

The President's Christmas Card



Here is the card selected this year by President and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt to carry their personal message of goodwill to friends and relatives for Christmas. (Central Press)

Kiwanis Club Members Hear Annual Reports

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—Members of the Ellwood Kiwanis club held their annual session of reports last evening following their weekly dinner in the Trinity Lutheran church.

The Club has had a most successful year and has aided with many worthwhile projects in the community. Among the outstanding activities conducted by the club was seven tons of toys for children and sending 25 underprivileged boys to the scout camp for a week.

Next Tuesday evening, a Christmas party will be held with wives and girl friends as special guests.

True Blue Class Party On Tuesday

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—True Blue class members of the Slippery Rock Presbyterian church gathered last evening at the home of Mrs. William Travis on Bridge street for their yearly Christmas party, with Mrs. Charles Houk sharing as a special guest.

After a devotional period, various plans for class activities were formulated. Games and contests of an amusing variety followed with awards being presented to Mrs. Norman Guy, Mrs. Harold McQuiston and Mrs. Wilson Magee as the winners.

Lovely gifts were exchanged and the class presented Mrs. Travis, their teacher, with a beautiful lace table-cloth. Tempting refreshments were served by the hostess.

For the next meeting Mrs. Alfred Mann will be hostess at her home in Castilewood on Tuesday, January 17.

Gradale Sorority Meets On Tuesday

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—Twenty-three members and one guest of the Gradale Sorority gathered last evening in the Phalanx club rooms for their annual Christmas party and gift exchange.

It was reported that the goal of fifty membership in the hospital campaign had been partly reached. Plans were completed for carol singing with the Phalanx on Thursday and Friday nights at 10:30 p.m. An initiation of new members was planned for late in January.

Games and Chinese checkers passed the hours pleasantly with a delicious lunch being served by a committee of three, Louetta Nicholson, Margaretta Hall and Charlotte Rodgers. Dorothy Bauer Schaeffer, a recent bride, was presented with a lovely gift by the girls, during the evening.

On Tuesday evening, January 3, another regular meeting will take place.

Hazel Dell W.C.T.U. Meets At Cook's

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—On Tuesday evening members of the Hazel Dell W. C. T. U. were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Vera Cook, of Hazel avenue, for the December meeting. Fourteen members and one guest, Mrs. Hatlie Stottler, participated in the activities of the evening which included a gift exchange.

Mrs. Yetta Lafever led the devotional period, after which Mrs. Floyd Thompson and Mrs. Cook contributed fine Christmas readings.

It was decided to make Christmas merry for a needy family.

In serving, a dainty lunch the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Harry Kirkwood. The January meeting will be held on Tuesday, the 17th, with the place to be decided.

Ellwood Cagers Bow To Norwin

Last Quarter Rally Fails To Offset Visitor's Lead And Game Ends 29-24

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 21.—For the second time within a week, Ellwood City high school basketball bowed to a strong Norwin High quint when they were defeated 29 to 24 last night before a large crowd of hometown roosters at Lincoln gym.

Unable to penetrate the visitors' stellar defense, the Newton-men were able to score only 8 baskets, although they made many of those disappointing shots that circle the hoop and finally bounce out. Once again the blue and white had a remarkable record of making 8 out of 12 free shots. Although the locals rallied considerably in the final period, they were unable to surpass the winners, who were ahead in every period.

With the exception of Robuck and Ottovian, who alternated at forward, in the first three periods the Ellwood line-up was not changed until the last minutes when an entire new team was substituted. The Norwin line-up was never changed with the young giants, Pierce and Stough, being a little too much for the Ellwood team.

The Ellwood Reserves white-washed the Norwin reserves 49-11 in the preliminary game.

Ellwood will not play again until a week from tonight when they will be hosts to Springdale. On Friday evening, the 30th, they windup their pre-season games at Campbell, O.

The summary:

	F.	F.	Tp.
Robuck, f	0	1	1
Jones, f	2	2	3
DeBortoli, c	4	2	3
Miller, g	0	1	1
Ottovian, f	1	0	1
Marshall, f	0	0	0
Cunningham, c	0	0	0
Rubino, g	0	0	0
Gentile, g	0	0	0
Total	8	8	12
Norwin	3	1	4
Pierce, f	1	2	2
Stough, c	2	2	3
Cole, g	2	0	2
Sloan, g	4	1	2
Total	12	5	13
Score by Periods:			
Ellwood	4	5	10
Norwin	8	7	5
Officials, Komara, Markovich.			
Ellwood Reserves			
Gelbach, f	3	2	2
Rubino, f	8	0	16
Gentile, c	2	2	6
J. Snare, g	0	0	0
Bell, g	0	0	0
Matrangoli, f	0	0	1
Mattocks, f	1	0	2
Tanner, c	5	0	10
Cartwright, g	0	0	0
Seeth, g	1	0	1
Pishioneri, f	1	0	2
Marshall, f	1	0	1
R. Snare, f	0	1	2
Total	22	5	10
Score by Periods:			
Ellwood City	10	8	24
Norwin	4	0	5
Official—Navolio.			
Lilyville Class Presents Gifts			
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Home Grown Christmas Trees Are Widely Used

(Special To The News)
HARRISBURG, Dec. 21—More than two million Christmas trees will adorn Pennsylvania homes this Christmas season.

Many of these trees will be the products of Pennsylvania forests.

The growing of Christmas trees and Christmas greens is an important seasonal industry in this State which provides farmers in many sections with a substantial income.

Dr. James F. Bogardus, Secretary of the State Department of Forests and Waters is commenting upon the fact that approximately \$2,500,000 will be spent by Pennsylvania this year for Yuletide decorations, pointed out that the Commonwealth's crop of evergreens not only gives farmers an added income but gives it at a time when it is particularly acceptable.

"Pennsylvanians should buy home grown trees for the Christmas celebrations," Bogardus said. "This not only will help provide a winter income for many rural people, but it also will prove to be most satisfactory to the populace, generally. A shapely home grown tree, is far superior to one shipped from a distance."

Pointing out that a tree cut and handled properly a short time before Christmas will retain its fragrance and its foliage throughout the Christmas season, Dr. Bogardus explained that trees hauled from distant points are likely to shed their needles as soon as they are brought into a warm room.

Stressing the importance of care for Christmas trees, Dr. Bogardus declared that trees not only may be kept green in warm rooms thru the Christmas season but he also said that it is possible to prevent needles from falling off too soon. "The method of keeping cut flowers in good condition might be followed in relation to the trees," he said. "Experience has proved that if the tree is set in a container of water it will remain fresh for a longer time. The tiny cells in the wood will cause the water to rise in the stem thereby enabling the tree to retain their needles and keep green."

Spruce and fir trees according to Bogardus, will retain their leaves for a longer period than any other tree. Other native trees such as the hemlock, pine and cedar also are

popular during the Christmas season.

In addition to the State's tree contribution to the brightening of the Christmas season, it is interesting to know that Holly, the most widely used Christmas green, is a native of Pennsylvania, while the laurel, rhododendron, hawthorne, bittersweet and similar plants found in the State's forests are becoming more in demand each year.

LITTLE BEAVER

Ed Becker was a visitor in Pittsburgh, Friday.

Frank Smith was a New Castle visitor Saturday.

Paul Clemmer was a visitor in New Castle, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Withers were Monday visitors in New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith were visitors in New Castle, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morse visited relatives at Conneaut, Thursday.

Paul and Charles Clemmer were visitors in Rochester, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young and family were Beaver Falls visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Von Berg, Jr., of Freedom visited relatives here Sunday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Geiscke on Wednesday, December 7.

Mrs. A. W. Mercer of New Castle visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Young, Thursday.

Miss Mary Knepp of Bellevue visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Knepp, Thursday.

The Gem club met with Mrs. Harry Best on Friday for an afternoon of sewing and crocheting. Tea was served by the hostess.

Mrs. J. V. Knepp and daughters Ruth and Phyllis, and Mrs. Roy Veon and daughter Joan were visitors in Beaver Falls, Tuesday.

DECORATE TREE

Christmas tree in the city police department which was obtained by City Detective John Young has been decorated. Vari-colored electric bulbs also have been placed on the tree and it presents a pleasant appearance.

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Gospel Mission School Program

Children Will Have Christmas Exercises On Friday Evening

The following program will be presented by the members of the Gospel Mission Sunday school, 413 Croton avenue, Friday evening, at 7:30 under the direction of the superintendent, Mabel Wimer, assisted by the teachers:

Song, "Welcome"—Gospel Mission Chorus, "Just One Word"—Lottie Shaffer

Recitation, "Christmas Giving"—Nancy Duncan

Recitation, "A Wish"—Thelma Masters

Recitation, "A Question"—Joe Masters

Recitation, "Christmas"—Paul Chaplin

Exercise and song, "Jesus Loves Me"—Dorothy Chadolt, Marlene Grannis and Primary class

Exercise, "Christmas Lights"—Jean Fogerty, Ethel Mills, Mildred Duncan, Norma Thomas

Song—Mabel Weimer's class

Recitation, "Christmas"—Patsy Bigley

Recitation, "Christmas Giving"—Lillian Porter

Recitation, "We Greet You"—Mary Lou Bigley

Recitation, "I'm Sure"—Trudy Felan

Song, "I hear The Bells"—Mrs. J. Lawson's class

Recitation, "It Helps"—Betty Jane Klingsmith

Duet, "Christmas Day"—Anna-belle Garver, Donnie Smith

Exercise, "Christmas Candles"—Junior Girls

Song, "Emmanuel"—Thelma Mills

Exercise, "The Old Story"—Four girls

Girls Chorus, "Under the Christmas Tree"

Recitation, "Welcome From the Juniors"—June Rodgers

Exercise, "The Helpers"—Myrtle Zimmerman, Thelma Mills, Maxine Krouse, Betty Williams

Song, "Christmas Bells"—Mrs. Thomas Zimmerman's class

Recitation, "A Bell"—Norma Heidrick

Solo, "Away In A Manger"—Mary Lou McCullough

Exercise, "World Wide Joy"—twelve girls

Chorus Sewing school girls

Recitation, "I Wonder"—Dolly Kline

Scripture—Don Harris' Class

Exercise, "The Shepherds"—Harry John Martin, Delbert Porter

Chorus—Young People's and Children's group

Recitation, "A Tall Welcome"—Mary Jones

Song, "Silent Night"—Mrs. George McCrea's Class

Recitation, "Come"—Sophia Hoyer

Exercise, "Giving the Message"—Ten girls

Duet, "Christmas Message"—Mrs. Ed. Garver, Mrs. C. Baker

Christmas Playlet, "Christmas Giving"—Vicco of Bethlehem, Mabel Weimer; Spirit of Christmas, Mrs. Roy Spray; Bible, Mrs. Thomas Zimmerman; Conscience, Mrs. Go. McCrea; Selfishness, W. Sexton; Orphan, Myrtle Zimmerman; Lame, Margaret Williams, Eleanor Green; Heathens, Maxine, Krouse, Ruth Spray; Singers, Mrs. C. Baker, Miss Eleanor Green.

DAILY DOZEN

(From the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania)

Shakespeare knew his soporifics. In Othello he speaks of poppy and mandragora.

The ancients knew of similar narcotics.

They were familiar with drugs to ease pain and sadness.

Opium and Indian Hemp.

The modern era of such drugs began less than 70 years ago.

Today there are morphine, codeine, hyoscine, ether.

All are dangerous unless taken under medical supervision.

Narcotics, in the hands of physicians, are very useful.

Some of these drugs are indispensable.

Cleopatra pleaded for mandragora to bring eternal sleep.

Instead she got the asp.

We admire Mrs. Roosevelt for two things: (1) she is important in her own right; (2) she doesn't think she is the lord high sheriff because her husband is somebody.

Exercise—Jean Marshall and Norman Crawford

Exercise, "Christmas Giving"—Marion Rice, Norman Crawford, Josephine Kettler, Betty Hancock, Alice Shocler, Norma McCandless.

"December"—Teddy Royle.

"Greeting Folks"—De Wayne Knauff.

Song—Choir

"Glad Christmas Time"—Carol McCandless.

"Christmas Wishes"—Buddy Matheson

"Not Very Big"—Willard Matheson

Exercise—Jean Marshall and Norman Crawford

"Hang Up The Baby's Stocking"—John Wilson

"Christmas Eve"—Janet Oakes

"The Old Doll"—Alice Shocler

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Remarks by Rev. Lloyd.

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New Castle Hi Is Defeated At Sharon 35 To 23

Too Much Sundelin To Suit
New Castle, Only Gets 18
Of Sharon's Points

FARRELL HIGH HERE ON FRIDAY

There was simply too much of this man Sundelin to suit the New Castle high school basketball team last night in their pre-season game at Sharon high floor and consequently the locals walked off defeated 35 to 23. Sundelin himself was responsible for 18 of the Sharon points.

The first period Sharon led 8 to 5 and at the half the big Orange had increased the lead to 17 to 9. The end of the third period it was Sharon by 26 to 12. In the last period to locals did manage to outscore the Shasons 11 to 9, but trailled far in arrears.

FARRELL HERE Friday
Best in the New Castle lineup were Greer, Adamo and Wenda, with Sundelin and Wthersty the big guns for Sharon.

New Castle will play its first home game of the year here Friday night at the Arena court with the Farrell high team, champions of northwestern Pennsylvania last year.

In the preliminary game Friday the Farrell high reserves will play the New Castle reserves at 7:30 o'clock.

FARRELL HIGH NEXT

Referee—DeCaprio.

No Games Sunday In City League

Owing to this coming Sunday being Christmas Day, there will not be any City Basketball league games at the Arena floor, it was announced today by Franklyn R. Crisci, head of the league.

The Gersons were to have played the N. Y. A. team, but this game will be played at a later date. Friday the Len's will meet the Gersons, and Saturday the Wabash Bears tangle with the Union Civics in league play.

Gus' Big Five Trips Unions

Gus' Big Five handed the Union Civics a 30 to 11 setback last night in a City Basketball league game at the Arena floor, with the Gus' team ahead at the half 15 to 9. The pace setters were O'Brien, E. Todd,

The losers were held to two points, so close a defensive game did the Gus' men put up.

The summary: F. P. Tp.
O'Brien, f 5 2 12
Davies, f 0 2 2
Stevenson, c 1 0 2
Kennedy, g 0 2 2
Reed, g 2 0 4
Ross, g 2 0 4

Totals 11 8 30
Union Civics F. P. Tp.
M. Annarella, f 0 0 0
Hoover, f 0 0 0
O'hafir, c 1 0 2
E. Todd, c 2 1 5
White, g 0 1 1
Smith, g 1 1 3

Totals 4 3 11
Referee—Joe Wisosky.

High Reserves Lose To Sharon

The New Castle High Reserve basketball team lost in a preliminary game to the Sharon High Reserves last night by the count of 22 to 17. At the half the Shasons led 11 to 8.

The summary: F. P. Tp.
Sharon High 1 5 7
Wethersty, f 8 2 18
Sundelin, f 0 2 2
Bowler, c 1 1 3
Toten, g 1 0 2
Rapper, g 0 1 1
Wolansky, g 0 1 1
Smith, g 1 0 2

Subs not scoring—Kelleys, Clark, Sundelin, f 1 5 7
Sundelin, f 8 2 18
Bowler, c 0 2 2
Toten, g 1 0 2
Rapper, g 0 1 1
Wolansky, g 0 1 1
Smith, g 1 0 2

Sub not scoring—Hunia, Referee—Allison.

Season Tickets Still On Sale

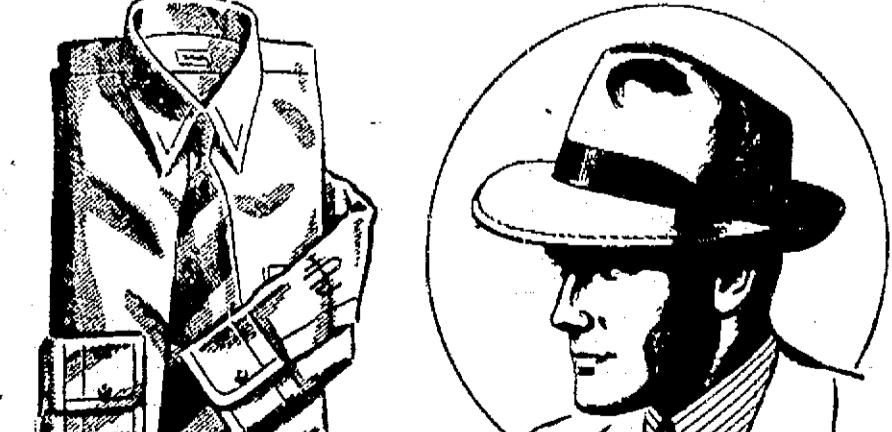
Robert Mills, ticket manager of Senior High school said today that season tickets for basketball can be secured at the high school until Thursday at 1 o'clock, or at the window of the Arena on Friday night.

The tickets sell for \$2.80 for the nine home games, a saving of the price of one game. Quite a few tickets are being sold.

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Woven-right Lastex top socks 25c
Lined and unlined gloves \$1.00 up
New chalk stripe pants \$2.95
Two tone wool jackets \$4.50
All wool and pure silk scarfs \$1.00

GUS' PANTS STORE

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Next to Candyland

K. Pulaski Top Youngstown Five By Score Of 30-28

The K. Pulaski basketball team hung a 30 to 28 defeat on the strong St. Stanislaus of Youngstown at the K. P. hall. The K. Pulaski team, attired in their flashy new royal blue and gold uniforms, led at the half 17 to 13.

The K. P. team held a 25 to 21 lead at the third period and kept the lead throughout the remainder of the game. The standout performers were Budal, Brownie Ostrosky, Hnat, Bucila and Lamparthy.

Last Sunday the K. P. team lost at New Kensington, 61 to 37.

The summary: F. P. Tp.

J. Ostrosky, f 0 2 2
Smith, f 1 0 2
Budal, f 2 3 2
B. Ostrosky, f 3 2 8
Baron, c 0 0 0
Hnat, g 4 0 8
Slezak, g 0 1 1
Wotowitz, g 1 1 3

Totals 11 9 30
Youngstown F. P. Tp.
Lesko, f 2 2 2
Kucharski, f 1 0 2
Bucila, c 3 2 8
Pahut, c 1 2 4
Lamparthy, g 3 2 8
Simon, g 0 0 0

Totals 10 8 28
Referee—Joe Wisosky.

Union High Noses Out East Brook

Section 21 Victory Goes To
Union High By Score Of
26 To 25

In a last few seconds game uphill fight the Union High basketball team took a 26 to 25 thriller from the East Brook High team last night at the East Brook High court.

The first period it was 8 to 4 East Brook, and at the half the Americans had a lead of 16 to 11, with Union somewhat improved. The third found East Brook on the small end 22 to 21. It was a nip and tuck battle all the way in the fourth stanza.

Pilch, Covelli, Shuller and Wilson were the standout performers.

In the preliminary game the Union High girls won from the East Brook 20 to 3.

The summary: F. P. Tp.

N. C. Reserves 0 1 1
Walls, f 2 0 4
Banish, f 2 0 4
Sowinski, f 1 0 2
Toten, g 1 1 3
Bucci, c 1 2 4
Ross, g 2 1 5
Phillips, g 0 1 1

Totals 6 5 17
Subs not scoring—Minnick, Noga, Ryginski, Horney.

Sharon Reserves F. P. Tp.
Sullivan, f 1 2 4
Racketh, f 1 2 4
Baron, c 1 0 2
Laskey, c 0 1 1
Huscroft, g 2 0 4
Defender, g 3 0 4
Senato, g 1 1 3

Totals 8 6 23
Subs not scoring—B. Burns. Referee—Dagnon.

YOUNG YANKS WIN

The Young Yanks basketball team won from the Polish Eagles at the K. P. hall yesterday by the count of 25 to 21, with Mash winning the game for the Yanks.

Penn Power Team Loses At Farrell

The Penn Power basketball team went to Farrell, Pa., on Monday night and lost to the St. Adalberts team by the count of 30 to 26. Thursday night the Penn Power team will play the New Castle Merchants at the Arena court at 6:30 o'clock.

The summary: F. P. Tp.

Penn Power 1 0 2
Gettling, f 4 1 2
Peretti, f 4 1 2
Clary, c 1 0 0
Covelli, g 4 1 2
Sergeant, g 0 2 1
Fritz, g 1 0 2

Totals 11 4 26
Subs not scoring—Aiken, Coulthard, McGoun, Shiritz.

St. Adalberts F. P. Tp.
Kulnis, f 4 1 9
Dyell, f 2 0 2
Kuznaik, c 4 0 8
Swinski, g 2 1 5
S. Kuznaik, g 1 0 2
Fisher, g 1 0 2

Totals 14 2 30
Subs not scoring—Steffen, Blazo, Baldowski.

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SPORTS

NEW CASTLE NEWS Rambling Around World Of Sports

Shenango High Sinks Wampum

Score Is 31 To 21 In Section 21
League Game At Shenango

Floor

Shenango high school basketball team took a Section 21 W. P. I. A. L. game from Wampum high last night at the Shenango high floor by the count of 31 to 21.

Wampum assumed the lead in the first period at 7 to 4, but at half-time the Shenango boys had tied it up at 13-13. The third period found the East New Castle team out in front 24 to 18, and in the final period the Noceramen walked away.

F. Pilzer, the Shenango center, was the big pace setter. Huffman was the best for Wampum.

The summary: F. P. Tp.

B. Pilzer, f 3 0 6
W. Ovis, f 1 3 5
F. Pilzer, c 8 4 20
R. Fredericks, g 0 0 0
Dunn, g 0 0 0

Totals 12 7 31
Wampum High F. P. Tp.

Kulken, f 4 5 13
Matthews, c 0 0 0
Davis, g 0 2 2
Hervatine, g 0 1 1
Julius, g 1 0 2

Totals 6 9 21
Subs not scoring—Ippolito, Pauline. Referee—Bill Wallace. Umpire—J. Uram.

Correct this sentence: "I'm not afraid to leave open letters lying about my room," said the co-ed, "for my friends are too well-bred to glance at them."

HERE AND THERE IN SPORTS' LAND

McKeesport, class AA football champion of Western Pennsylvania Interscholastic League, departed today for Miami, Fla., and its inter-sectional clash Monday with Miami high school in the Orange bowl. Thirty-two grididers accompanied Coach Jack Tinson, Assistant Wayne Mason and Principal John F. Bowler.

Over in Italy they take their

ties seriously. For instance, Otello Romoni and Luigi Celli fought.

Referees Alberto Galletti gave the fight to Otello. Celli did not like this so he drove the referee into a corner and knocked him out with a right uppercut. A recent decree gave referee police powers in Italy, so Galletti arrested Celli who got six months in prison.

Chicago's ordinance to license

horse race betting was ruled invalid

yesterday. It took six months study

until Judge Harry M. Fisher upheld

an opinion of the state attorney

general's office in a quo warranto

action against the city. The legis

lation was proposed to raise at least

\$2,000,000 of the \$2,700,000 needed

to restore depression pay cuts of

18,000 municipal employees. It was

designed to license pari-mutuel

"brokers" to take bets on the horses

and telegraph them to the tracks.

New Jersey may hold an election

June 20 on the question of amending

the state's constitution to permit

pari-mutuel betting at horse races.

If the governor signs the bill

authorizing the vote it will be taken.

TEAM WILL MEET

The New Castle Merchants, a newly organized basketball team will

have a meeting at the Arena tonight

at 6 o'clock for the purpose of electing

officers for the year. The Mer

chants have booked the Penn Power

team for Thursday night at the

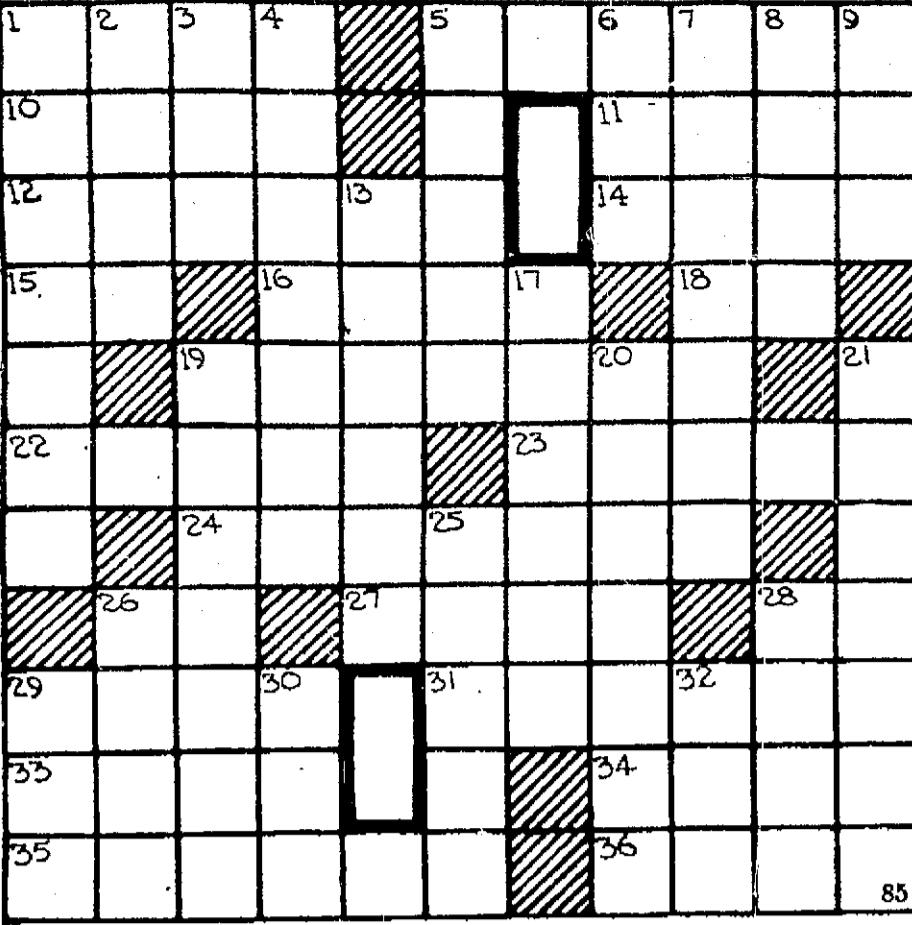
Arena court.

New Wilmington Defeats Hickory

College Towners Come Back
From Behind To Cop 34-31
Decision

After trailing for three quarters, New Wilmington's high basketball team rallied in the closing minutes of their game with Hickory high to cop a 34-31 decision

News Daily Cross Word Puzzle



ACROSS

- 1-Highest singing voice 24-A sunken space afford-ing entrance down to a base-ment
5-Turn upside down
10-A molded mass of cake 24-Expired Arabian chieftain
12-Downy Recedes
14-Symbol for aluminum
15-Symbol for aluminum with a dye
16-Misfortunes
18-Because
19-Those who scale
22-More superior
23-Chief gods of the Teutonic pantheon
24-A pair of Indefinite article
28-Vipers
30-Coloring with a dye
33-Fume
34-A fixed course
35-Afraid without moun-tains
36-Prosecutes judicially
- leaf
Troops (abbr.)
Flamed
An ocean traffic lane
Kind of turtle
Elocutionists
Fawns
Final state-ment of ac-count
strip of wood used on the foot on snow
The letters indicating indebtedness

Answer to previous puzzle
 CHAIR MOCHA
RAFT T DOOR
AVE SOW ROB
MERELY ONTO
S LASTS R
MEET AIRS
SGEESE A
CODY STRING
UTE SPY COO
DIMS Y SEEN
SCION GODLY

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ON THE AIR TONIGHT
(EASTERN STANDARD TIME)

6:00 P. M.
KDKA—News, Sports.
WCAB—American Schools.
WJAS—Baron Elliott Orchestra.
6:15 P. M.
KDKA—Movie Magazine.
WCAE—Evening News, Jim Murray, sports.
WJAS—News of the World.
6:30 P. M.
KDKA—Lyon and Marlowe.
WCAE—Laws for Laymen.
WJAS—Today with Bob Trout.
6:45 P. M.
KDKA—Lowell Thomas.
WCAE—Serenade.
7:00 P. M.
KDKA—Easy Accs.
WCAE—Amos 'n' Andy.
WJAS—County Seat.
7:15 P. M.
KDKA—Mr. Keen.
WCAE—Edwin C. Hill.
WJAS—Lum and Abner.
7:30 P. M.
KDKA—Keyboard Champions.
WCAE—Modern Melodies.
WJAS—Ask-It-Basket.
7:45 P. M.
KDKA—Vocal Varieties.
WCAE—Shopper's Serenade.
8:00 P. M.
KDKA—Roy Shields Orchestra.
WCAE—One Man's Family.
WJAS—Gang Busters.
8:30 P. M.
KDKA—Hobby Lobby.
WCAE—Tommy Dorsey Orchestra.
WJAS—Paul Whiteman Orchestra.
9:00 P. M.
KDKA—Milk Fund Program.
WCAE—Kay Kyser Kollege.
WJAS—It Can Be Done.
10:30 P. M.
WJAS—Buddy Clark, songs.
11:00 P. M.
KDKA—News.
WCAE—News; Ray Herbeck Orchestra.
WJAS—News with Ken Hildebrand.
11:45 P. M.
KDKA—Music As You Desire It.
WJAS—Red Norvo Orchestra.
11:50 P. M.
WCAE—Dick Gasparie Band.
WJAS—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.
12:00 Midnight
KDKA—Milk Fund Program (until sign-off).
WCAE—Swing, Sway with Sammy Kaye; 12:30, "Lights Out"; 1:00, Lawrence Welk.
WJAS—Benny Goodman Orchestra.

Shriners To Provide Christmas At Home

Members of Syria Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., Pittsburgh, will provide gifts and candy for children of the Margaret Henry home as usual this Christmas, according to C. Ed. Brown, a Shriner. He received instructions from Potentate Carl A. Daub to arrange for a Christmas eve party. Today Brown named a committee of other Shriners to arrange for a Christmas eve party as follows: Fred L. Rentsz, Russell Melvin, James R. Long, William H. Dunlap and John Bechtol. The party will be complete, with a Santa Claus.

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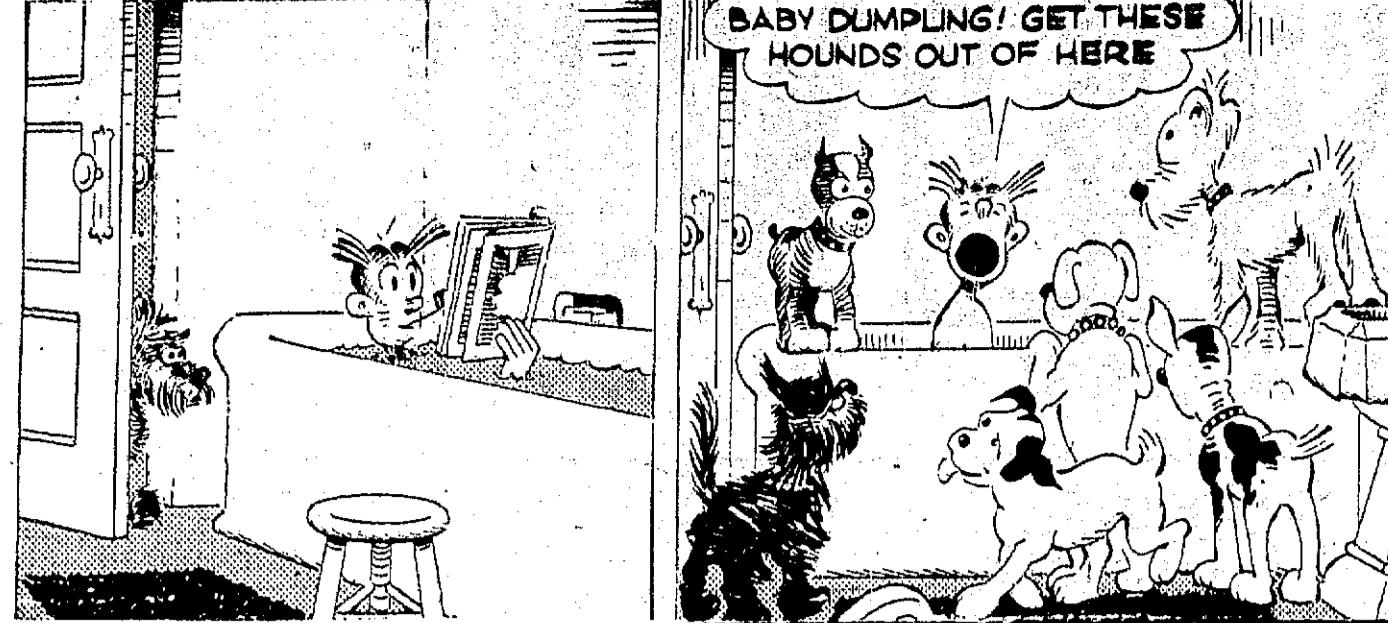
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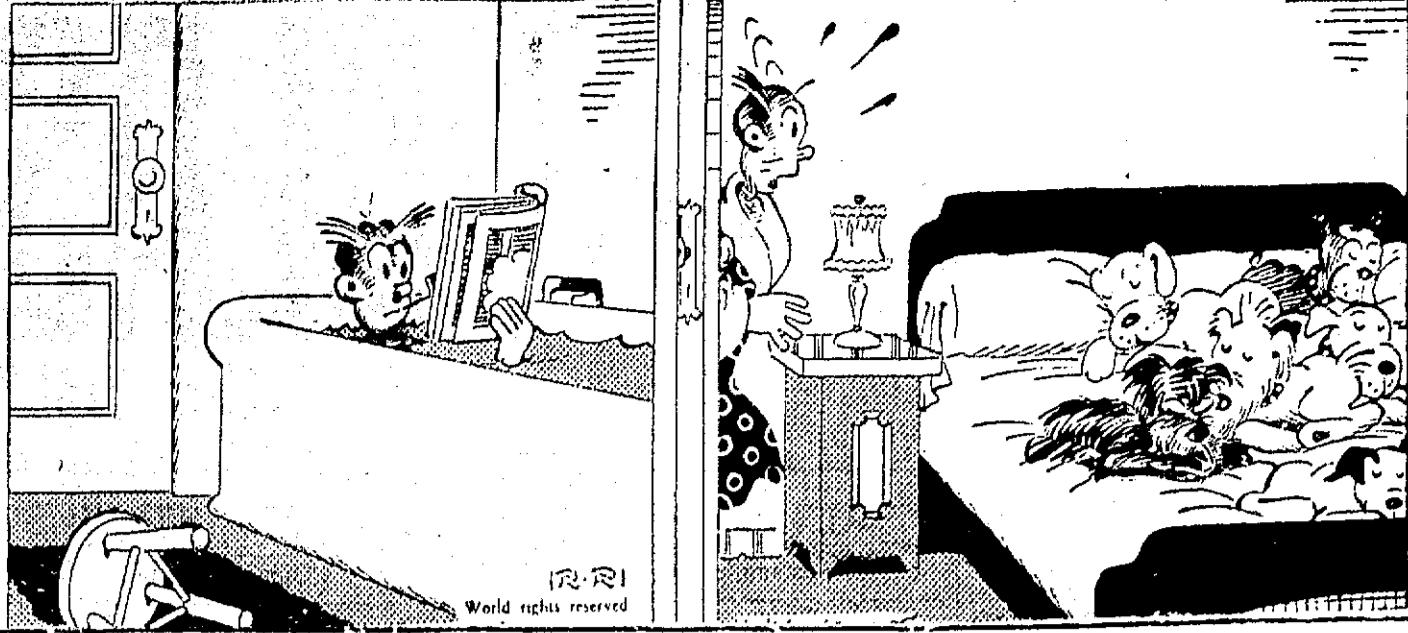
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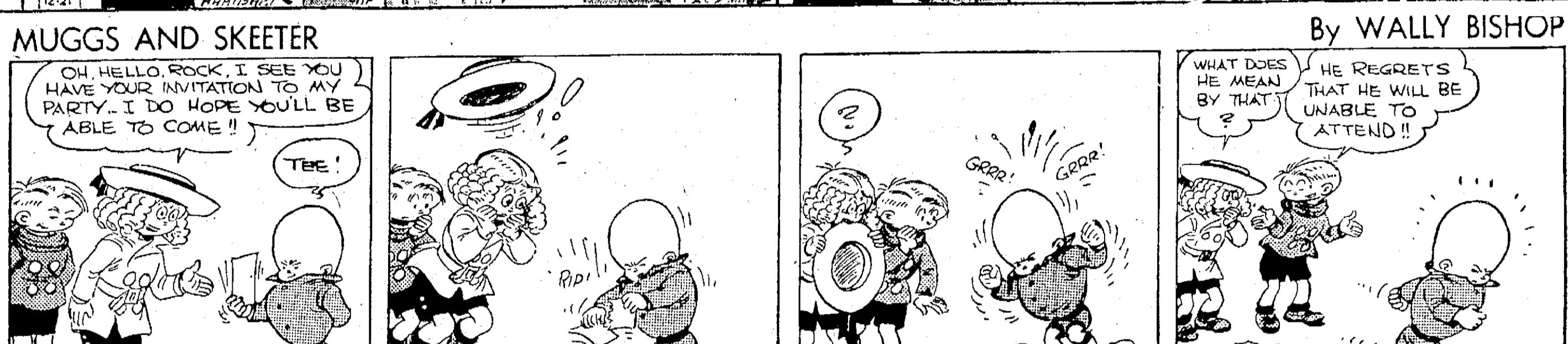


NO BARS FOR HIM

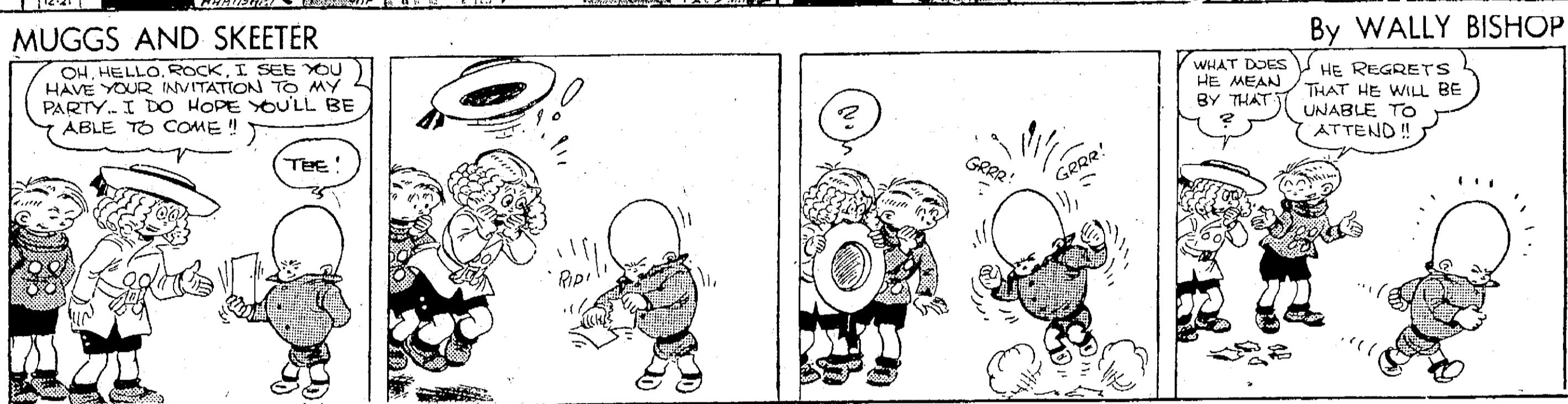


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WHAT DOES HE MEAN BY THAT? HE REGRETS THAT HE WILL BE UNABLE TO ATTEND!!

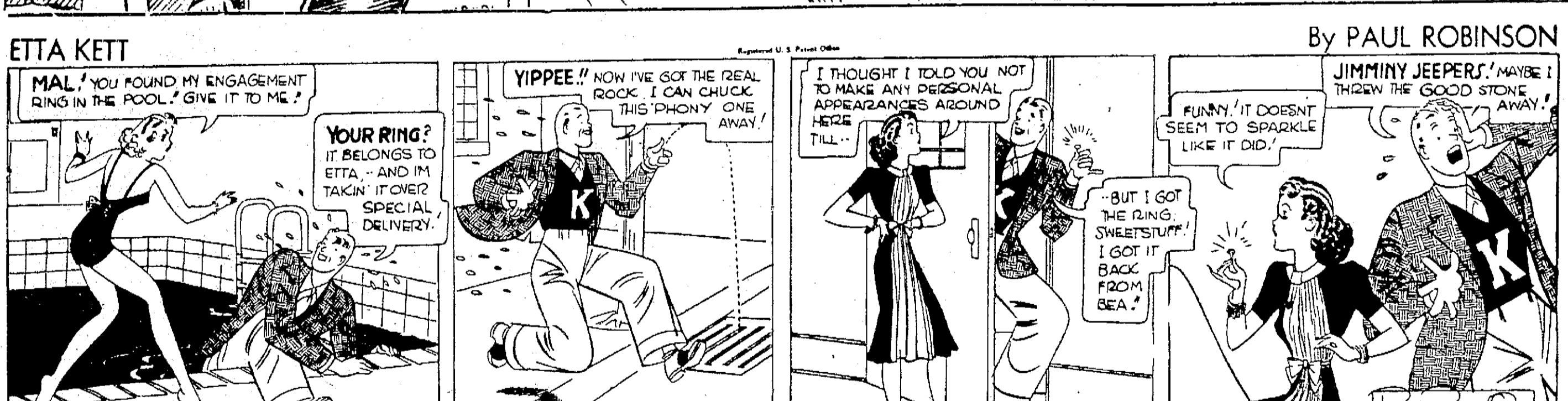
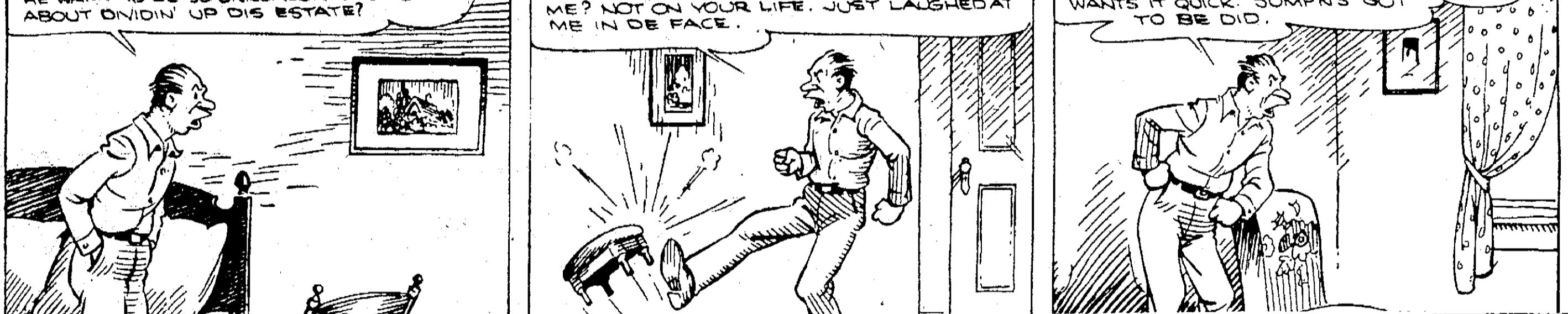
HE MUST TINK I'VE GOT ALL YEAR TO STICK IN DIS PLACE. I WANTS MY SHARE AND I WANTS IT QUICK. SUMP'N GOT TO BE DID.



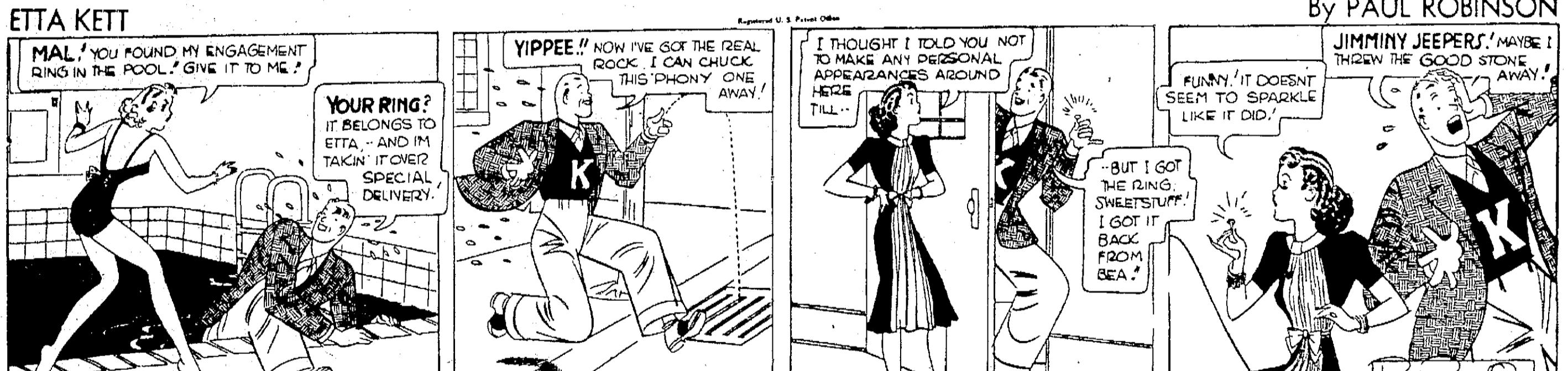
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BIG SISTER



By PAUL ROBINSON



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JIMMINY JEEPERS! MAYBE I THREW THE GOOD STONE AWAY!

FUNNY! IT DOESN'T SEEM TO SPARKLE LIKE IT DID!

BUT I GOT THE RING. SWEETSTUFF! I GOT IT BACK FROM BEA!

I THOUGHT I TOLD YOU NOT TO MAKE ANY PERSONAL APPEARANCES AROUND HERE TILL...

IT'S TOUGH AT ME AGE TO BE BROKE-- I SHOULD HAVE HAD MORE SENSE AND SAVED SOME-- BUT IT'S NO USE NOW-

HUH--WON'T SPEAK TO ME--EH? AND I GOT HIM THE JOB IN THE BANK--OH--WELL--MY DAY WILL COME ONCE AGAIN--

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**Houses For Sale****PARK AVENUE**

SIX ROOMS, bath; hot air furnace, hardwood, nice lot, excellent location for schools and down town, paved street, garage. This is a very modern and cosy home and can be purchased at about 50% of cost. HAROLD M. LEACH, TEMPLE BLDG., 267-J.

11-50

INSURE TODAY, tomorrow may be too late. Shaffer & Reed, 605A First National Bank Building. 11-50

EAST—6 rooms, lot (40x117), modern, \$3000.00; \$150 cash. Call Nunn's Real Estate, Phone 108. 11-50

WEST—Modern 5-room semi-bungalow, double garage, \$18 a month, \$250 down. Rents now for \$25. J. Clyde Gillilan, Phone 889. 11-50

Lots Or Acreage

HAVE CLIENT with acre fronting, Wilmington cement road. Price \$300. Will take used car in exchange. Lawrence Realty. Phone 713. 11-51

AUCTION SALES

BUY at the Livestock Auction sales Tuesday at Monaca. Thursday at Tunkasla. A. Phillips, Mgr. 3315—53

LEGAL NOTICES**Notice**

Lawrence County, Pa.: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas, in and by a certain indenture made the 18th day of August, A.D. 1938, between Catherine T. Miller of the Third Ward, City of New Castle, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, of the first part and Lawrence Savings and Trust Company, of the second part, making payment of the consideration of the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred (\$1500.00) Dollars, the said party of the first part did grant, convey and give to the said party of the second part its successors, heirs and assigns, that certain parcel or lot of land situate, lying and being in the Second Ward, City of New Castle, County of Lawrence and State of Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Behind the East half of lot number Twenty-nine (29) in the Second Ward of New Castle, Pa., and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, in Deed Book, Vol. 1, page 100, bounded on the North by Hazel Alley on the East by South Pine Street; on the South by Lot No. 33 in Said Plot on the West by the other half of Lot No. 29, having a frontage of 55 feet more or less on South Pine Street; and extending back a distance of Sixty-Six (66) feet, more or less, and being the same premises as referred to in the will of Mrs. Anna D. Dodd, W. S. Elliott, et al., dated April 19, 1920, and recorded in the recorder's office of Lawrence County in Deed Book, Vol. 220, page 43.

And whereas, the sum of One Thousand Six-Hundred Seventy-Six and \$8/100 (\$1,676.88) Dollars with the interest from December 8, 1938 and Atty's fees of 5% of the above amount, and costs, as well as have been given to understand, and the said Elrich H. Schirrizzo, assignee of Lawrence Savings and Trust Company, praying that a fit ready in bond may be provided for the payment of your debt by good and lawful men of your batch, you make known to the said Catherine T. Miller, now deceased, his wife, Alice, widow of Justice Miller, and Albert J. Miller, Legatees of said Catherine T. Miller and present owners, that they be and appear before our Judge of our Court, and that these be sold in and for said County on the first Monday of January next, to show if anything they know or have to say why the said matter may not be done. The temperature ought not to be taken in execution and sold, to satisfy the debt and interest aforesaid, if to them it shall seem expedient.

All have you then and there the name by whom you shall so make it known to them, and this wirt.

Witness the Honorable W. Walter Brattin, President Judge of our said Court at New Castle, the 9th day of December A. D. 1938.

JOHN A. BEDGAR, Prothonotary.

Legal—News—Dec. 14, 21, 28, 1938.

Administrator's Sale

Of household goods including beds,

linens, rugs, parlor and dining room

furniture, Sterling silver, etc. at 209

Pearson St., Thursday, December 22,

1938, at 2 p.m. Terms: Cash.

Gilbert E. Long, administrator

estate Nannie E. Allen, also known as

Mrs. J. P. Allen.

Legal—News—Dec. 19, 20, 21, 1938.

Egg Prices At Butler Auction

(Special To The News)

BUTLER, Pa., Dec. 21.—Sales at the Butler co-operative egg auction here yesterday totaled 12 cases, with

180 producers and 108 buyers tak-

ing part.

White High . . . Low . . . Avg.

Fancy large 37 1/2 34 1/4 34 1/4

Fancy medium 33 1/2 29 1/4 31

Extra large 39 1/2 33 23 1/4

Extra medium 32 1/2 29 30 1/2

Standard large 31 1/2 31 30 1/2

Standard medium 28 1/2 27 1/2 28

Producers' large 31 1/2 28 30 1/2

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Pullets 28 26 1/2 27

Pee Wees 27 22 1/2 25

Checks 22 1/2 22 1/2 22 1/2

Brown

Fancy large 35 34 34 1/4

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Ask Congress For Huge Sums

Congress Facing Demand
For Expenditures Even
Larger Than Ever

MUCH PRESSURE FOR SPENDING

By WILLIAM S. NEAL
International News Service Staff
Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The new Congress faces the greatest pressure for appropriation and spending of huge sums that any in recent history. Rep. Clarence Cannon of Missouri, ranking Democrat on the house appropriations committee, said today.

After a survey of the fiscal situation, Cannon expressed doubt that appropriations can be cut to the extent sought by advocates of strict economy in federal expenditures.

Huge Sums Asked

Although the last congress appropriated more than \$10,000,000,000, demands are being made for appropriations far exceeding this figure, he said.

Government departments, submitting their budget requests to the president, are urging new expenditures and an increase in funds for expenditures now authorized.

Pressure from the country for new expenditures, is equally great, he said.

"There is more pressure for spending this year than ever before," said Cannon. "Money is being sought for things for which we never have before appropriated, and additional funds are being sought for activities now under way."

"I have seen no indication of a reduction in the demands of recipients of federal expenditures. Admittedly it is not possible to balance the budget this year."

Hope To Economize

"However, it is to be hoped that in all expenditures and especially in routine expenditures, we will be able to economize materially."

Congress will be forced to appropriate from \$500,000,000 to \$750,000,000 soon after it convenes to carry on WPA and other relief expenditures from March 1 until the end of the fiscal year, June 30, he said.

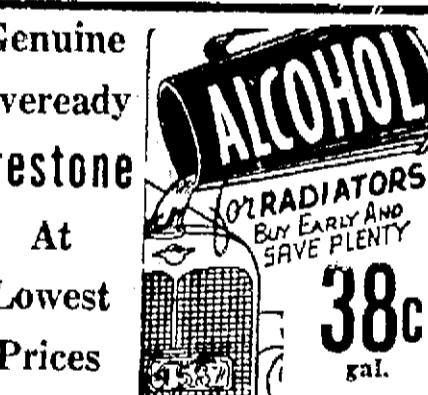
"National defense expenditures will increase but not to the extent I hope, that some expect," said Cannon. "I think there has been hysteria over this subject."

The relief load does seem to be lightening somewhat. We hope to effect economies in the agricultural appropriation bill as the result of organizations effected in that field, which will make possible elimination of some duplication and overlapping expenditures.

POLLOCK TEACHER OUT OF HOSPITAL

Peter Grittie, R. F. D. No. 2, Grandview avenue, a teacher at Pollock school, who has been confined to the New Castle hospital for the past five weeks, has been discharged from treatment.

Correct this sentence: "He was so fascinating," said the co-ed, "that I didn't even notice he was bald."



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Wesleyan Church Friday Program

Christmas Exercises On Friday
Night At Lyndal Street
Church

For Friday night at 7:30 o'clock the following Christmas program has been prepared for presentation in the Wesleyan Methodist church on Lyndal street:

Devotion—the pastor, Rev. George B. Clay.

Dialogue, "Welcome"—The Primary class.

Selection by the Young People's chorus.

Recitation, "The Guiding Star"—Elvina Welker.

Recitation, "The Carol of the Angels"—Norma Maxwell.

Duet—Mrs. Mae Atkins and Mr. Gus Lehberger.

Recitation, "Take My Bed Jesus"—Johnny Lehberger.

Dialogue, "Gifts For The Master"—The Junior boys.

Trio—The Welker sisters.

Recitation, "The Shepherd Boy"—Ralph Watt.

Song, "Away in a Manger"—Beginners and Primary class.

Dialogue, "No Room in the Inn"—Sunshine class.

Duet—Mrs. Olive George and Miss Mary Phillips.

Dialogue, "One Night In Judea"—The Junior girls.

Duet—Rev. and Mrs. William Leyshon.

Recitation, "Christmas"—Buster Davis.

Quartet—The Senior girls.

Dialogue, "Is There Room For Him?"—The Excelsior class.

Selection by the young people's chorus.

Recitation, "Good Will to Men"—Sonny Kennedy.

White Gift offering for the Y. M. W. B.

Benediction and closing prayer—Ruth McGaffic.

Neshannock U. P. Church Program

Sunday School Will Have Annual Christmas Exercises
Friday Night

The Sunday School of the Neshannock U. P. church will present the annual Christmas program Friday night, December 23, at 8 o'clock in the church. The program, which follows, has been arranged under the direction of the teachers, Mrs. Lena Patton, Mrs. Francis Bowden, Miss Velma Patton and John Turner:

Recitation—Billy Sickafuse.

Recitation—Verda Turner.

Recitation—Barbara St. Clair, "A Welcome."

Recitation—Georgia Rae Lusk, "An Important Message."

Recitation—Marylyn Forbes, "Christmas Book."

Recitation—Elizabeth Ann Alford.

Recitation—Evelyn McClelland, "Her Dream."

Music—Robert and Gaylord Patton.

Exercise and Song, "Christmas Star"—Primary group.

Recitation—Don St. Clair, "Shop Early."

Recitation—Jimmy Houk, "A Duck's Wish."

Music—Raymond McCracken, Saxophone solo.

Song—Robert Patton, Willard Patton and Raymond McCracken.

Playlet, "The Mystery of the Old Shoe"; characters—first girl, Jean St. Clair; first boy, Jimmy Alford; Blanche, Olive Houk; second boy, Earl St. Clair; third girl, Norma Houk; Little Wolf, Robert Patton; School Master, Willard Patton; Madame, Charles, Mary Ruth Alford; Little Boy, Gaylord Patton; Paul, Don Hartzel; music, Shirley Wimer, Millicent Sickafuse, Twila Houk.

School Display Most Appealing

The Thaddeus Stevens School on East Washington street, is presenting a novelty this week. Miss Louise Davies, a teacher is supervising.

In one of the class rooms, weird masks, clever recipe books, novel games and peculiar vases are placed on desks and rails, in order to display the handiwork of the children in grades, from one to six.

It was necessary, for each child in the school, to make at least one article. And throughout the room, there are forty different objects.

One of the outstanding features of the display, are miniature silhouette pictures, made by the pupils of the sixth grade.

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CHRISTMAS CAROLS TONIGHT

Children of the Margaret Henry Home

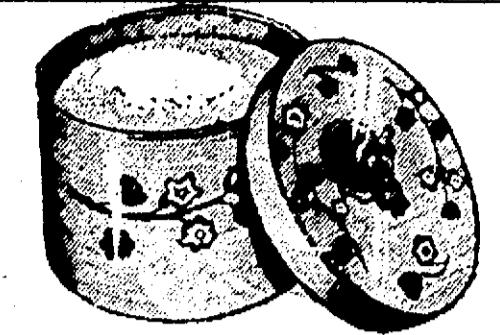


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CHECK THESE ITEMS!

Children's WASH FROCKS

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Gay colorful dresses in the newest, most popular styles. Sizes 1-6; 7-16.

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Wool or silk mufflers in good-looking plaids, paisleys and novelty patterns.

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Beautifully boxed note and letter paper. All types in white, ivory, blue and grey.

(Main Floor)

DANCE SETS

\$1.00

Rayon satin dance sets with dainty lace trims. In rose or blue.

(Main Floor)

ARROW TIES

\$1.00

A wonderful selection of good-looking ties in new patterns and popular colors.

(Main Floor)



PARKA HOODS

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Brushed wool parka hoods in white, plain colors and novelty mixtures. For cold winter weather.

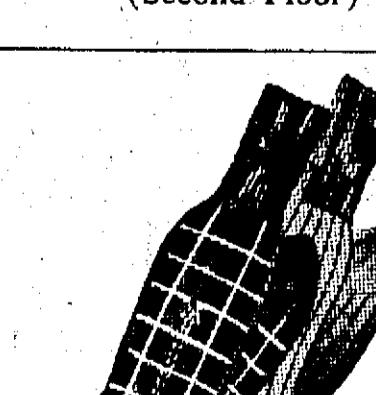
(Second Floor)

Boys' MODEL" SHIRTS

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Well-tailored shirts of fine quality broadcloth in white, plain colors and fancy patterns. Sizes: 8-14 Jr.; 13-14½ Youth.

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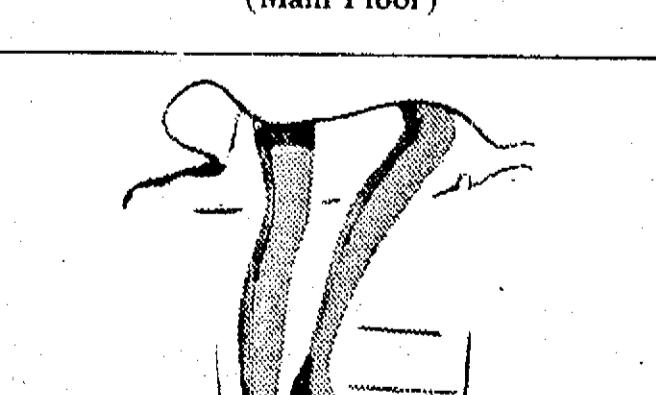
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